Eighty One and you were there.

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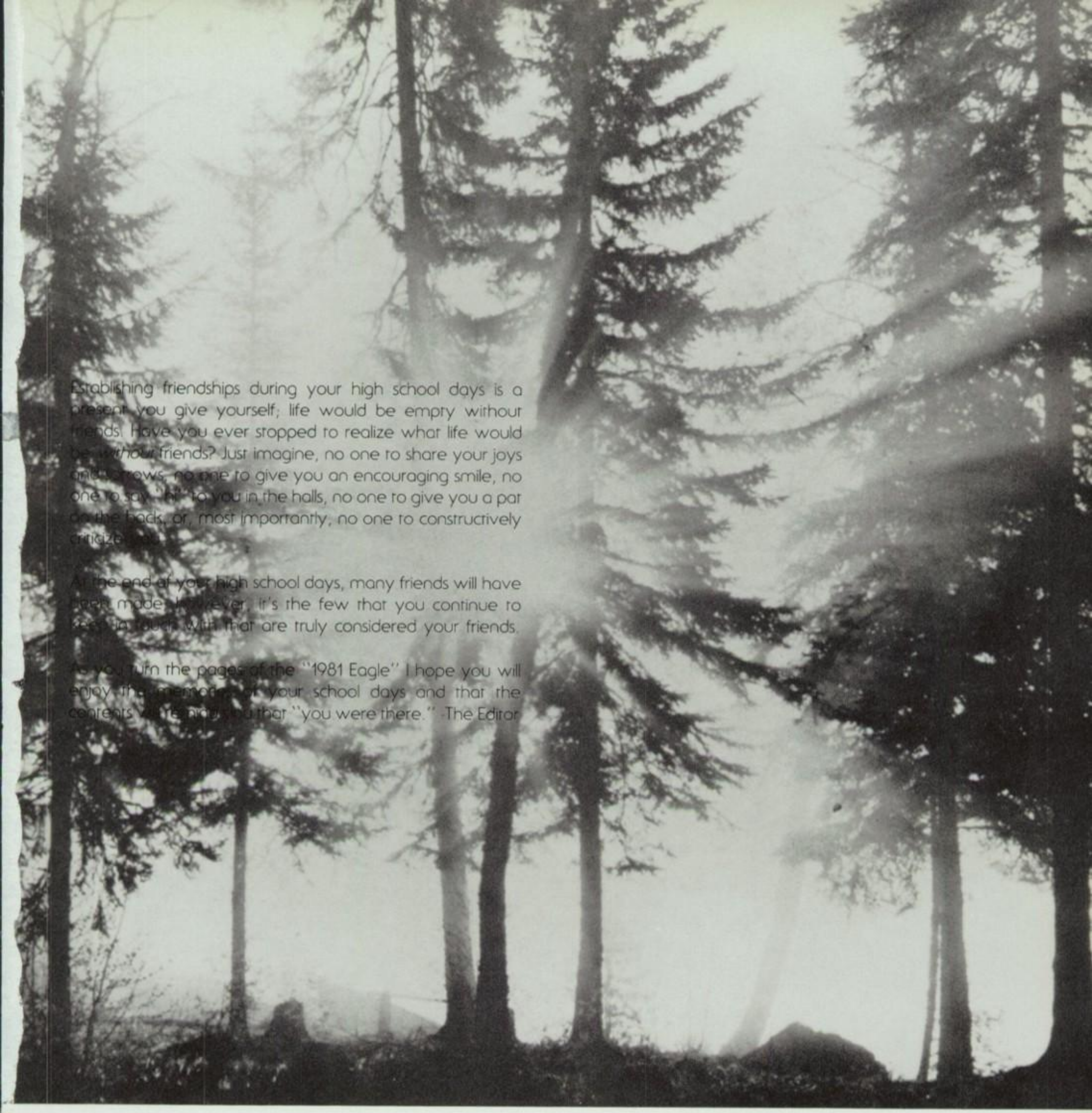

Establishing friendships during your high school days is a present you give yourself; life would be empty without friends. Have you ever stopped to realize what life would be *without* friends? Just imagine, no one to share your joys and sorrows, no one to give you an encouraging smile, no one to say "hi" to you in the halls, no one to give you a pat on the back, or, most importantly, no one to constructively criticize you.

At the end of your high school days, many friends will have been made. However, it's the few that you continue to keep in touch with that are truly considered your friends.

As you turn the pages of the "1981 Eagle" I hope you will enjoy the memories of your school days and that the contents will help you recall that "you were there." -The Editor

Mrs. Kisseberth,

This annual is in dedication of you and all the hard work and time you've given to the students of Liberty-Benton. It's the foundation that a first grade teacher provides that allows students to continue their educations. There is no possible way that we can express our appreciation of your devoted teaching, guidance and counseling during your 28 years at Liberty-Benton, so to you, Mrs. Kisseberth, we dedicate the "1981 Eagle."

Sincerely,

CLASS OF 1981

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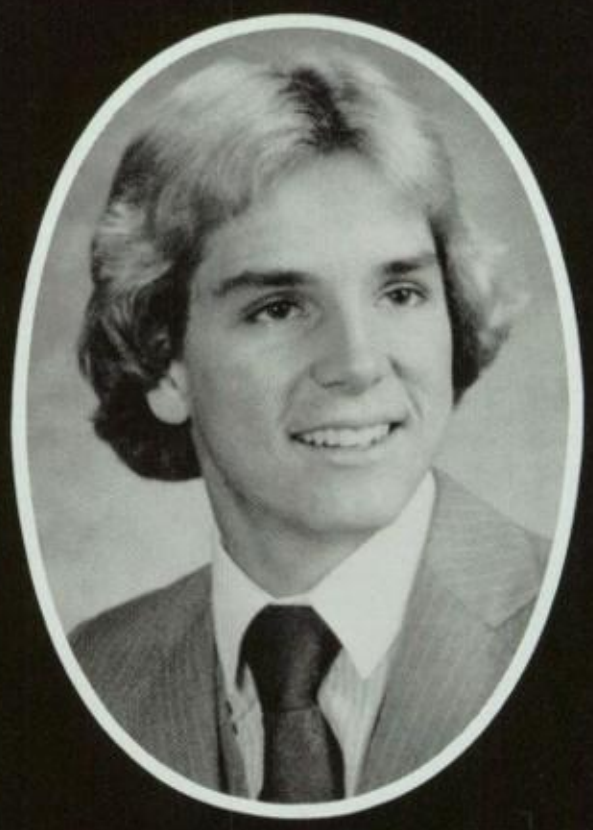

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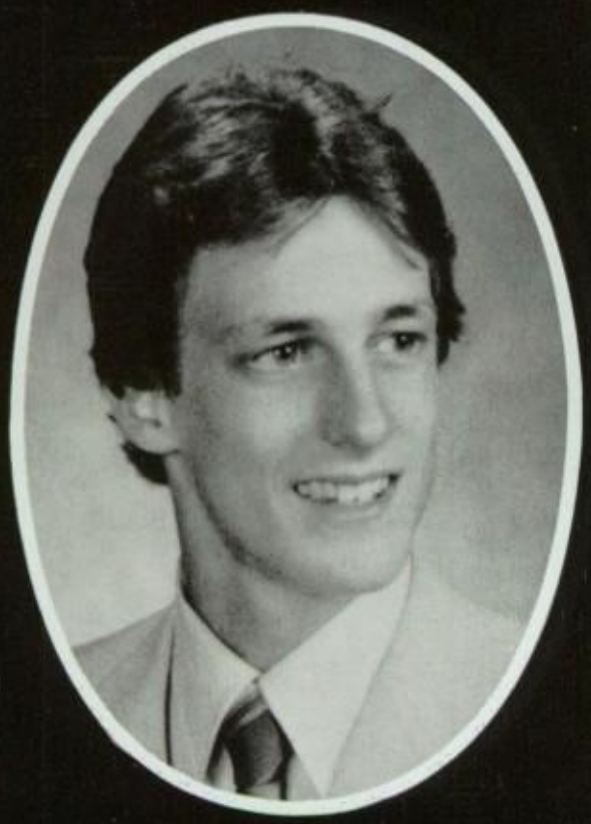
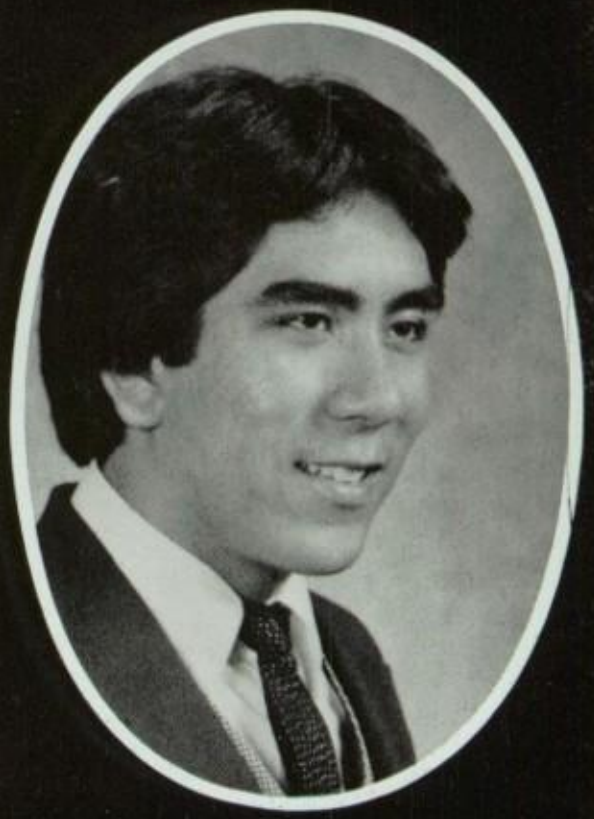


Steven B Schweitzer

Kent William Benson

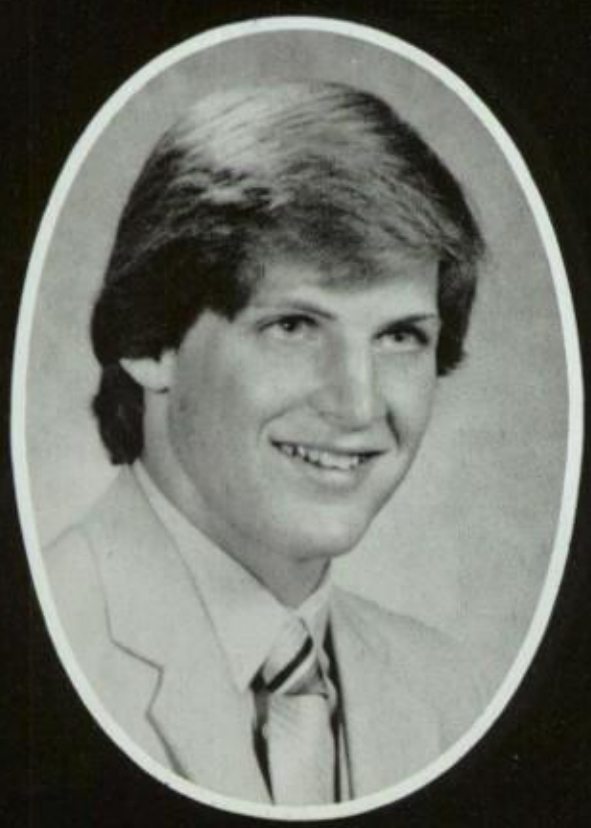
Karen Louise Elsea

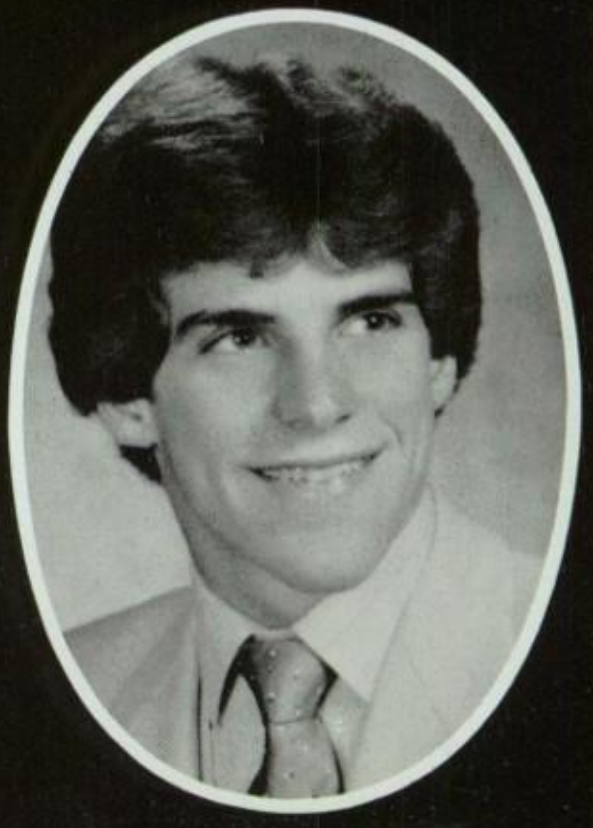
Sherri Lynne Garner

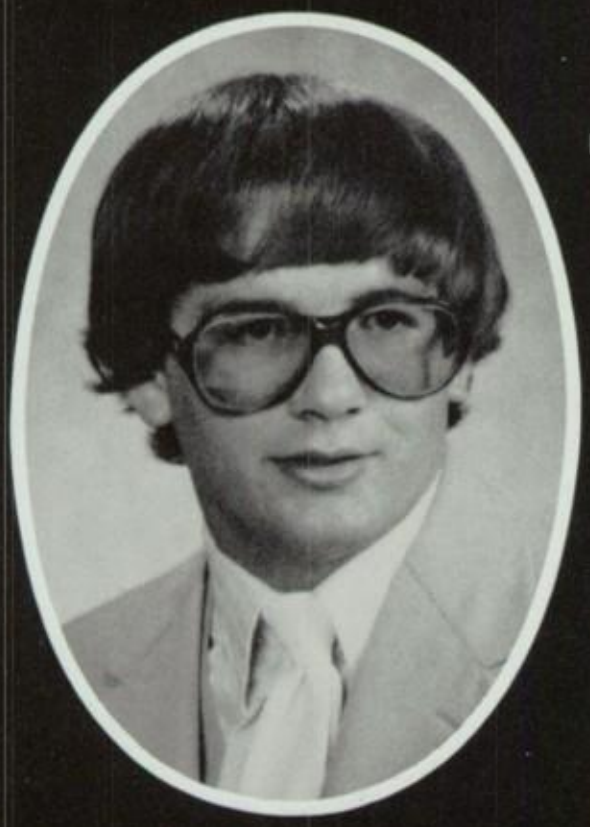


Robert P Allen

John Edward Bowman







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Lee Ann Bakies

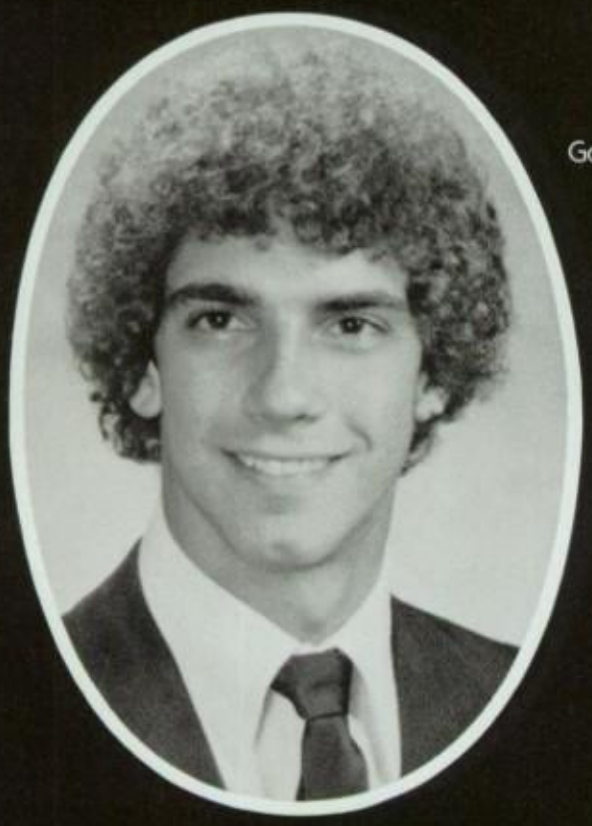
Jody Diane Beck

Ann Elizabeth Benson

Barton J. Bunn

Debra Jean Cramer

Kimberly Kay Cramer



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Michael S. Fields

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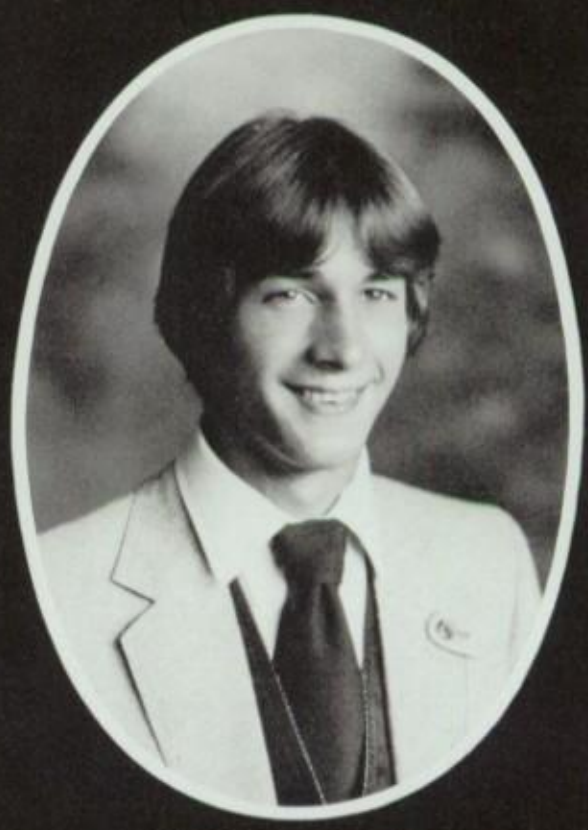
Jeff W. Holdman



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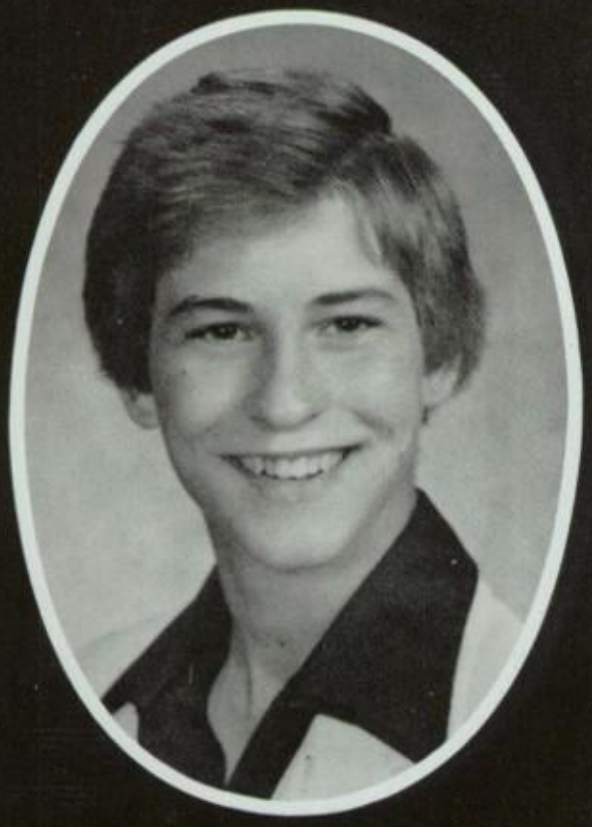

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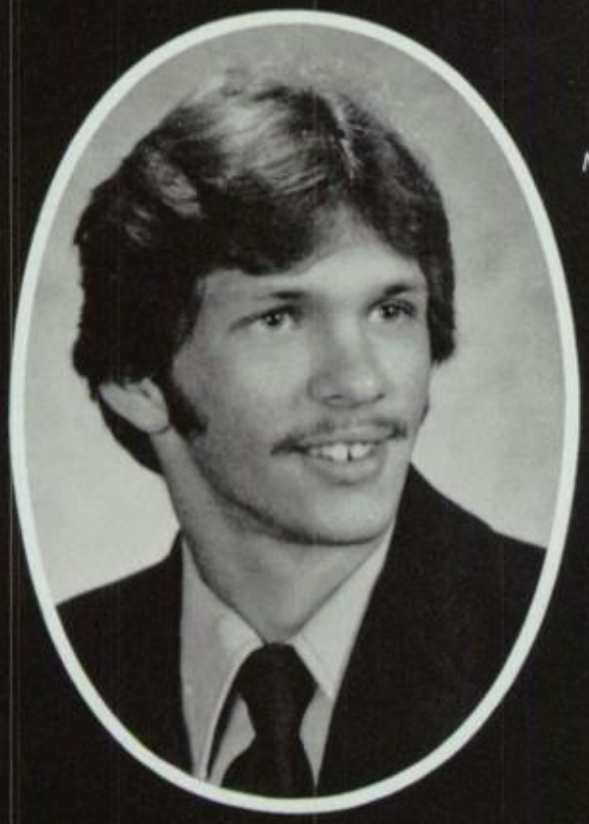
Mark LaWarre

Lori Ann Lemons

Barbara Anne Lucas

Lennie L. Magee



Michael McGuire

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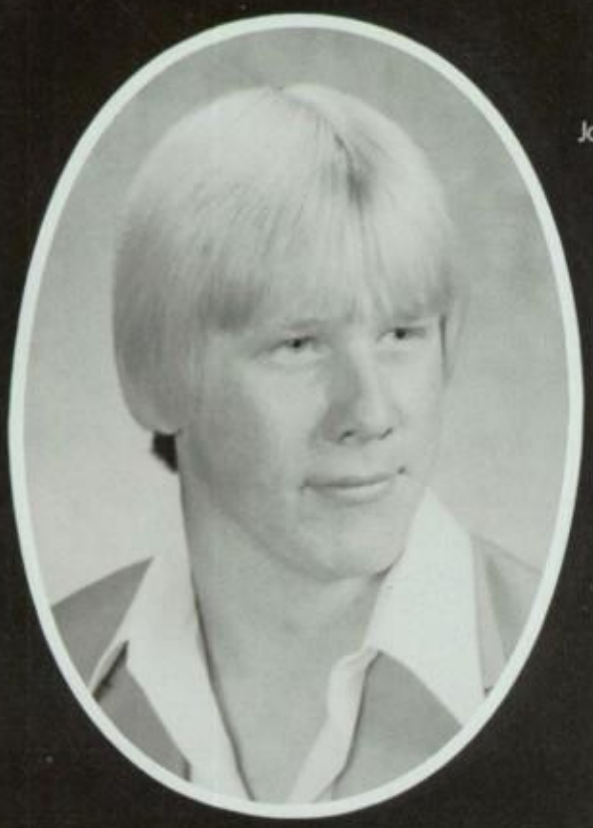
Glenn Peggs

Charles M. Rucker



John F. Schloemp

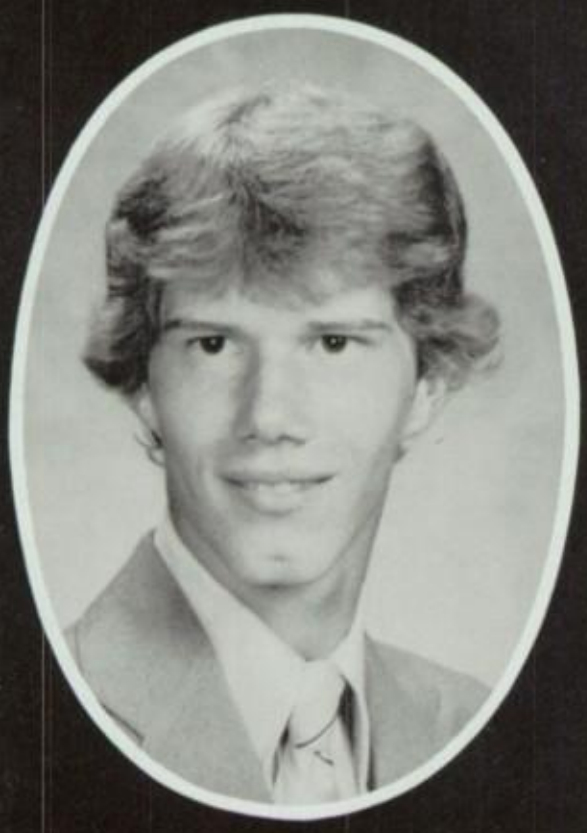
Tammy Lee Smith

Susan Renee' Stillberger

M. Brookes Swisher

N. Eileen Tong

Donna Elaine Walker



Wesley Owen Wells

Krista K. Weston

Tilda Wiler

Mary Ellen Wickham

This is our year,
the class of eighty-one,
This is the year,
we share good times and fun.
Our lockers are empty,
our textbooks returned,
Old homework papers
now thrown away and burned.
No more running,
to the cafeteria line,
No more rushing,
to get to class on time.

We no longer gather
in the alcove each day,
Our schoolhood memories,
have all drifted away.
This is the year
that we all graduate,
Family and friends
come to congratulate.
Leaving L.-B.
will be hard for us,
But then we all realize,
that we must.

May God Bless us,
each and everyone,
For we are the future,
"The Class of 81."

By N. Eileen Tong

DON ACKERMAN: Football-9, 10, 11, 12, Basketball-9, 10, 11, Track-9, 10, FFA-9, 10, 11, 12, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, 2nd Team Football-12.

ROB ALLEN: Class Officer-10, 11, 12, Newspaper-12, Annual-10, 11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Musical-10, Scholarship Team Member-10, Who's Who-11, 12, Campus Life-10, 11, 12, Distinguished Student Award-12, LBHS Scholastic Award-12, AV-9, 10, 11, 12, Teenager of the Month-12.

LYNNETTE ALTHAUS: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 10, 11, 12, Track-10, FHA-9, 10, 11, Musical-10, Office Aide-11, 12, Volleyball-10, Who's Who Music-12, FHA Officer-10, 11, Teacher's Aide-12.

LEE ANN BAKIES: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 19, 11, 12, FFA-12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Musical-10, Who's Who-11, 12, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, FFA State Band-12, Who's Who Music-12, All-County 10, 12, FFA Secretary-12.

JODY BECK: Band-9. 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 10, 11, 12, FFA-11, 12, FFA Officer-12, Newspaper-12, Softball-9, 10, 11, 12, Homecoming Attendant-10, 12.

ANN BENSON: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 10, 11, 12, Basketbal-9, 10, Class Officer-9, Newspaper-12, Annual-11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12; Musical-9, 10, Drama Club-11, 12, Scholarship Team Member-11, 12, OMEA Music Contests-9, 10, 11, 12, Teenager of the Month 12, SAC-11, 12.

KENT BENSON: Chorus-10, Football-9, 10, 11, 12, Basketball-9, 10, 11, 12, Baseball-9, 10, 11, 12, Track-11, 12, Student Council-9, 10, 11, 12, FFA-9, 10, 11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Varsity Club-9, 10, 11, 12, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, Who's Who-12.

CRAIG BISHOP: Football-10, 11, Class Officer-10, 12, Student Council-11, National Honor Society-11, 12, Scholarship Team Member-9, 10, 11, Musical-10, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, Who's Who-11, Varsity Club-11.

JOHN BOWMAN: Football-9, 10, 11, 12, Basketball-9, 10, 11, 12, Student Council-12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Varsity Club-11, 12, Teenager of the Month-12.

BART BUNN: Band-9, FFA-9, 10, 11, 12.

DEB CRAMER: None

KIM CRAMER: Band-9, 10, 11, 12; Band Council-12, Pep Band-11, 12, Stage Band-12, District Chorus-10, All County Chorus-9, 11, 12, Ohio Abl-State Choir-10, All Student Groups USA-European Tour-10, Chorus Council-10, Advanced Chorus-President-12, Secretary-11, Musical-10, Who's Who-11, 12, Who's Who Music-11, 12, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, Youth of the Month-12, Teenager of the Month-12, Honor Roll-9, 10, 11, 12, Scholarship Team Member-9, 10, 11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Girls' State-11, Outstanding High School Junior Award-11, Candidate-FFA Sweetheart-11, 12, Cheerleader-9, 10, 11, Yearbook Editor-12.

GARY DETHOMAS: Baseball-10, 11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Who's Who-11, 12.

JUDY DOMMER: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-11, Homecoming Attendant-9, Newspaper-12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Scholarship Team Member-9, 10, 11, 12.

KAREN ELSEA: Homecoming Queen-12, Class Officer-10, 11, 12, Annual-12, Newspaper-12, Softball-9, 10, National Honor Society-11, 12, Drama Club-11, 12, Drama Club President-12, Musical-10, Salutatorian-12, Cheerleader-9, 10, 11, Cheerleader Advisor-12, Scholarship Team Member-10, Teenager of the Month-12, Sweetheart Candidate-11, 12, Who's Who-11, 12, Graduation Attendant-11, Office Aide-11, 12, Statistician-12, Typist for Athletic Dept.-12, Distinguished Student Award-12, HOnor Roll-9, 10, 11, 12.

MIKE FIELDS: Football-9, 10, 11, 12, Basketball-9, 10, 11, Baseball-12, Track 9, 10, 11, FFA-10, 11, 12.

JENNY FLICK: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-10, Annual-12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Musical-9, 10, Drama Club-12, Scholarship Team Member-10, 12, 4-H-9, 10, 11, 12, Cheerleading-9, 10, 11, Jr. Leadership-10, 11, 12, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, Camp Fire-9, Mascot-12, Fair Attendant-12, Who's Who-12, Who's Who Music-12, United States National Band Award.

DAN FRY: Chorus-9, 10, FFA-9, 10, 11, 12, Musical-10, Play-11, 4-H-9, 10, 11, 12, Jr. Fair Board-10, 11, Jr. Leadership-9, Wrestling-12.

SHERRI GARNER: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 10, Basketba-l-9, 10, Track-9, 10, Class Officer-9, 10, Student Council-11, 12, Student Council President-12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Darma Club 11, 12, Volleyball-9, 10, 11, All-Ohio State Fair Band-11, 12, BGSU Sight Reading Band-11, OSU Sight Reading Band-11, All-County-11, 12, Campus Life Chorale-11, 12, Cheerleader-9, 10, Regional Orchestra-12, BGSU Youth Orchestra-12, ONU Honors Band-11, 12, SAC-12, Findlay College Perc. Ensemble-12, Findlay Civic Band-

12, Findlay College Jazz Band, Musical Orchestra-9, 10, Nominee All-American McDonald's Band-12.

DEB GOBLE: Chorus-9, 10, Elementary Aide-12, Caferteria Help-9.

PAM HAMMOND: Band-9.

JEFF HOLDMAN: Football-9, 10, Basketball-9, 10, 11, Track-9, 10, 11, 12, FFA-11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12.

CARROLL HONSE: Chorus-9, 12, FHA-9, Class Play-9, Softball-9.

MARK HOTTENSMITH: None

JIM JANES: Band-9, Football-10, Baseball-9, 10, 11, 12, FFA-10, 11, 12.

DOUG LANE: FFA-9, 10, 11, 12, Newspaper-12, Annual-11, 12, AV-11, 12.

LORI LEMONS: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 10, 11, 12, Class Officer-9, 10, FHA-9, 10, 11, 12, Annual-12, Class Play-9, 10, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12.

MARK LAWARRE: FFA-12, YMCA-9, 10, 11, 12.

BARB LUCAS: Chorus-9, 10, 11, 12, FHA-9, 10, 11, 12, Annual-12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Musical-10, Who's Who-12.

LENNIE MAGEE: Chorus-9, 10, 12, FHA-9, 10, 11, 12, Annual-12, Jr. Fair Board-11, 12, 4-H-9, 10, 11, 12, Musical-10, Softball-9, 10.

MIKE MCGUIRE: Football-9, Basketball 9, Class Officer-9, FFA-12.

MARK MISAMORE: Football-9, Basketball-9, 10, Softball-11, 12.

LYNDA MUNTZ: Chorus-10, 12.

JANET MEYER: Chorus-9, 10, Class Officer-9, 10, FHA-9, Annual-12, National Honor Society-11, 13, Volleyball-9, 10, 11, 12, Teenager of the Month-12.

GLENN PEGGS: Football-9, Baseball-11, FFA-12.

CHARLES RUCKER: Football-9, 10, 11, 12, FFA-9, 10, 11, 12

STEVE SCHWEITZER: Band-9, 10, Basketball-9, 10, 11, 12, Baseball-12, Track-9, 10, 11, 12, Class Officer-9, 10, 11, 12, Annual-11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12, Class Play-10, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, Who's Who-12, Varsity Club-9, 10, 11, 12.

JOHN SCHLOEMP: Football-10, Basketball-9, 10, 11, 12, Baseball-9, 10, 11, 12, FFA-9, 10, 11, 12, National Honor Society-11, 12.

TAMMY SMITH: None

SUSAN STILLBERGER: Band-9, Chorus-9, 10, 11, Class Play-9, 10, 11, Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, Office Help-10, 11, Teachers Aide-10, 11, Volleyball-9, 10, 11, 12.

BROOKES SWISHER: Chorus-9, 10, Football-10, 11, Basketball-10, Class Play-9, 10.

EILEEN TONG: Campus Life-9, 10, 11, 12, Volleyball-9, Office Help-9, 10, 11, 12.

DONNA WALKER: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 10, 11, 12, Track-10, FHA-9, Newspaper-12, Annual-11, 12, Class Plays-9, 10, All-County-11, 12, 4-H-9, 10, 12, District Chorus-12.

WES WELLS: Football-12, Track-10, 11, 12, Annual-12, Drama Club-12, Scholarship Team Member-11, Wrestling-11, 12, Cross Country-11, Boys' State-11, SAC-11, 12.

KRISTA WESTON: Band-9, 10, 11, 12, Chorus-9, 11, 12, Basketball-9, 10, 11, 12, Softball-9, 10, 11, 12, FHA-9, Class Play-9, 10, Volleyball-9, 10, 11, 12.

CLASS WILLS

I, DON ACKERMAN, will all my rotton times to Mr. Reese.

I, ROB "RABBIT" ALLEN, will return, ("Real nice" English grammar, hugh, Mr. Tyner?)

I, LYNNETTE ALTHAUS, will Hope Althaus and Patty Shearer my ability to never get in trouble, and my brother to any girl who wants him.

I, LEE BAKIES, will my ability to get along so well with Mr. Reese to anyone who thinks they can handle it.

I, JODY BECK, will my nickname peterbilt to my sister Amy and everything else to Big Boy.

I, ANN BENSON, being of sound mind and body will my new wave hair cut, my entire collection of skinny ties, and my loafres to Miss Swisher.

I, KENT BENSON, will to Jon Huffman, my ability to pound on Scott Kingsley in football, and to skip school to eat at McDonalds without getting in trouble even when I got caught. There's always a good excuse.

I, CRAIG BISHOP, being of fairly sound body and not much mind will to Kevin Niswander my outstanding Physic abilities. May you use them as poorly as I have.

I, JOHN BOWMAN, being of sound mind and body, will the class and prestige of my "race opel" to the student parking lot.

I, BART BUNN, wil if Susan will.

I, DEB CRAMER, will my ability to stay out of trouble to my sister Wendy.

I, KIM CRAMER, will to Gary "Gigs" DeThomas, part ownership to Mom Nancy and Dad Larry, blood smears in Biology, and all the times I caught you "peeking" at things you shouldn't have been looking at.

I, GARY DETHOMAS, being of sound mind to hereby will my title of H.R. King of the baseball team to Brett Swisher.

I, JUDE DOMMER, will the highly covered white bomb, complete with losse axle, to my sibling, Nanette, and my best punch to Amy Light.

I, KAREN ELSEA, will to my sister, Ann, my role as Cupid. Keep those arrows flying

I, MIKE FIELDS, will all my after class social visits with Mr. Reese to Jon Huffman to carry on in his name.

I, JENNY FLICK, will my superior car (my Gramlin) to Rich (for Tammi, Betsy, Chris, Dave, & James), and my excellent typing ability (55/13) to Kendra.

I, SHERRI GARNER, being of sound mind and body will to my sister Bonkers my scholastic achievements in Physics "Good-Luck". Also to Lesly Pettys my percussion fascinations. Keep Miss "S" on her toes.

I, DEB GOBLE, will to everyone my ability to be patient.

I, JEFF HOLDMAN, will all my after class talks in Mr. Reese's room to anyone who wants them.

I, MARK HOTTENSMITH, will my race dart to anyone who wants it.

I, PAM HAMMOND, will my charter membership in the local C.D.C. to Dawn Kennedy.

I, JIM JANES, will to my brother my great reputation. Keep it up Todd

I, BARB LUCAS, will to Chris Meeker and Cheryl LaWarre my great relationship with "Mom Martin"

I, DOUG LANE, will my great ability to jump the R.R. tracks on east main cross st. at 56 mph and survive to Jeff Zeltner, use it in care Jeff. Remember Turbo.

I, MARK LaWARRE, will any juniors planning to take Senior Ag. Business to get out of it while you still have time.

I, LORI LEMONS, will to Lori Klein my ability *not* to get in trouble in 5th period study hall.

I, MARK MISAMORE, will my ability to give Mrs. Miller a hard time in Art to Ann Elsea and Betsy Gaertner.

I, LYNDA MUNTZ, will to my sisters and future sisters, the word NO. To be used in response when requested to move!

I, LENNIE MAGEE, will to Cheryl LaWarre the ability to flirt with all the truck drivers on the way to state F.H.A. Convention.

I, JANET MEYERS, will to the girls track team of 18 girls and only 1 senior. I will to my sister Karen my incurable disease of "senior iris" that I have had for three years, take your time you have a year to go yet.

I, GLENN PEGGS, will my ability to be a straight A student to my sister Gail, who needs it badly.

I, CHARLES RUCKER, will Eileen Tong the whole Ford company.

I, John Scholemp, will all my exciting days in Sr. Ag. Business to any Junior who wants them.

I, STEVE SCHWEITZER, will me to nobody, because I'm a selfish pig; otheriwse everyone could have me . . . (You can all cry now).

I, TAMMY SMITH, being of sound mind and body will the front seat on the bus to Pam Dean and Kathy Workman!

I, SUSAN STILLBERGER, will my ability to skip a class and go out for breakfast without my mom finding out to Ro and my sister Julie

I, BROOKES SWISHER, will my way with women to HO and the race van to my brother Brett. Have fun, I did.

I, EILEEN TONG, will to Ted G. a new tape recorder, Charlie a Chevy, Jenny Flick my back brace, and to Susan my old car.

I, DONNA WALKER, will my excellent driving ability to Amy Beck and my ability not to get caught to my brother Bill.

I, WES WELLS, will Mike Spong my ability to keep running even though you fell you're going to throw up.

I, KRISTA WESTON, will to Bobbi McDougall and Chris Baker the privilege of talking to Rick Williams once a week-*HANDS OFF!*

I, TILDA WILER, will to Francie and Terry Quickle. Good Luck in everything you do and don't forget all of the good times.

1. Name 2. Nickname 3. Ambition 4. By Words 5. Pastime 6. Weakness (es)

1. Don Ackerman
2. Goo
3. To own my own bar
4. O.K. Fine
5. Napoli's, Jamie's
6. Moe's Mini Mkt., Girl

1. Mr. Robert P. Allen
2. "Rabbit"
3. Educated Beach Bum
4. I'm from Jersey.
   You from Jersey?
5. Sleeping
6. Absolutely none!

1. Lynette Jean Althaus
2. Lynn
3. To find a rich man
4. That's life
5. Sleeping
6. Watching "General Hospital"

1. Lee Ann Bakies
2. Lee
3. To graduate
4. Actually, This is life
5. Writing poems
6. Leslie

1. Jody Diane Beck
2. Jode
3. To be successful at something
4. Stop it, Shut up
5. David, Wendy's
6. David

1. Ann Elizabeth Benson
2. Annie, "Craters"
3. Get married and have babies (Ha-ha)
4. That's disgusting
5. Flying through halls and bouncing off walls.
6. McDonalds fries, tight jeans

1. Gary Glenn DeThomas
2. Guy
3. To leap tall buildings in a single bound
4. Pioneers, Wes, Pioneers
5. Lois Lane
6. Kryptonite

1. Judith Lola Dommer
2. Jude
3. Drive a motorcycle
4. What a crack-up!
5. Writing letters
6. Onion rings and guys with nice legs

1. Karen Elsea
2. Krayona
3. Find a guy without a girlfriend
4. You dink!
5. Dating guys with girlfriends
6. Guys with girlfriends

1. Mike Fields
2. Mikey
3. Manage Fields Sunoco
4. Who cares
5. Washing my Camaro
6. Lori

1. Jennifer Lynn Flick
2. Flick, Jenkies
3. If it's tough, I can do it!
4. I don't understand!
5. Eating, sailing, McDonalds, Boys!
6. Soapies, Journey, Homework, Boys!

1. Sherri Lynne Garner
2. "Sheri-Doo"
3. Rock-star drummer
4. "Deje-uv"
5. "Drummin"
6. Men with dark hair

1. Kent Benson
2. Benny Barnes
3. Multi-millionaire
4. "Quit it"
5. 2910 Gleneagle Drive
6. Mailboxes & Betsy

1. Craig Eric Bishop
2. Bish
3. Race Car Driver
4. Whatever
5. Napoli's
6. Slow drivers

1. John Edward Bowman
2. J.B.
3. To become a rich executive
4. "Shoot the Gap"
5. Pumping Ethel
6. Tight pants

1. Barton J. Bunn
2. Jeff or Bart
3. To be the father of 14 million children scattered all around the world
4. OH Shut up!
5. Motorcycling
6. Colds and Flu

1. Debra Jean Cramer
2. Deb
3. Travel
4. UH OH!
5. Watching guys
6. Guys

1. Kimberly Kay Cramer
2. Kimmy
3. To meet all annual dead lines on time!
4. Oh I'm sure.
5. Homework
6. Cheap cookies

1. Debra Sue Goble
2. Deb
3. To be successful at something
4. I don't know
5. Crafts and sleeping
6. Being shy

1. Jeff Holdman
2. Hardman
3. Millionaire
4. Off me
5. Going to drive-in's (X)
6. Girls

1. Mark Hottensmith
2. "Horry"
3. Someday beating the 351 boss
4. "Feel better"
5. Listening to my stereo
6. Not paying attention to the time.

1. Pamela Kay Hammond
2. Pam
3. To be an accomplished artist

4. Frack!
5. Member of C.D.C.
6. B & K roorbeer, chocolate, guys

1. Jim Janes
2. Nolan
3. To meet a "10"
4. "Squeeze me"
5. Skipping school
6. Tammy

1. Barb Lucas
2. "Squiggy"
3. To be famous and rich
4. "Such is Life"
5. Member of the C.D.C.
6. Reeses Pieces

1. Lennie Magee
2. Lennie
3. Truck driver
4. To the max
5. Member of C.D.C.
6. B & K roorbeer and guys

1. Janet Meyer
2. Janet
3. Professional McDonald's Employee
4. I'm so confused
5. Bummin
6. Talkin

1. Glenn Peggs
2. Stiffy
3. Krista
4. Unknown at time of questioning
5. Parking
6. a tan body

1. Charles Rucker
2. Chas
3. Be a millionaire
4. flipp out
5. Drive truck, riding
6. Girls, water, sand, bikini

1. Steven B. Schweitzer
2. You need another page!
3. High Jump 8'6"!
4. "Awwww, Mom!"
5. Anything, but studying
6. N/A

1. N. Eileen Tong
2. "Leen"
3. To find it?!
4. "Kiss my rose"
5. Races, writing, whatever!
6. Moustaches, "Miller," race car drivers.

1. Krista Weston
2. Kurshta
3. Professional Basketball Player
4. oh wow
5. Basketball
6. Blue eyes

1. Tilda Wiler
2. Tilda
3. Go out west
4. I'm sure!
5. Bicycling

1. Doug Lane
2. The Photographer
3. Become a professional photographer and own my own studio
4. Ask me if I care!
5. Looking Busy
6. Krypronite

1. Mark D. LaWarre
2. Mark
3. Continue to college and become very wealthy
4. Doughboy
5. Golf
6. Golf

1. Lori Ann Lemons
2. Sugarplum
3. Getting married
4. Shutup!!!!!!
5. Don
6. Don

1. Mark Misamore
2. "Missy"
3. Graduation-College-Marriage
4. OH &?/#$&!
5. 1517 South Main St.
6. Being good

1. Lynda Sue Muntz
2. Hey, Muntz
3. To do my best in life
4. Did you hear that?
5. Trying to keep my balance walking down the hall. Thanks Keith.
6. Military men and English

1. Mike McGuire
2. "Kieth"
3. To meet Bo Derek
4. Doughboy
5. Karen
6. School, Reese's Class

1. Tammy Lee Smith
2. Tammy
3. Looking for a job
4. whatever
5. Babysitting
6. Tim

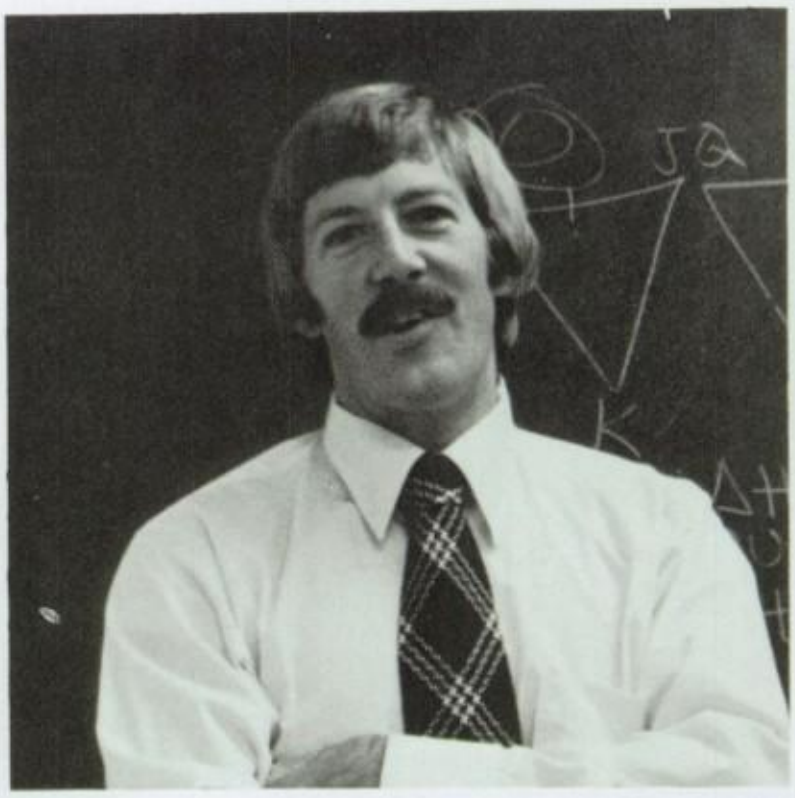
1. Brookes Swisher
2. Swish
3. Be the carrier of a rare tropical disease.
4. Toga
5. Consuming fine wines
6. Fast women and free booze

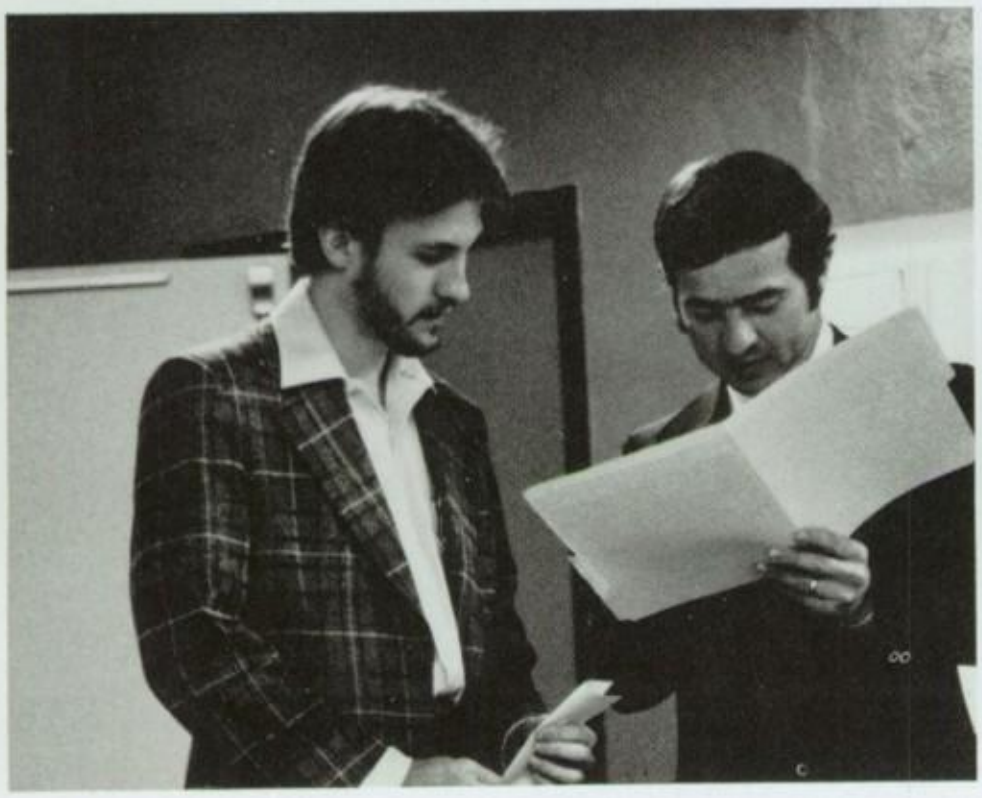
1. Susan Renee Stillberger
2. Sue
3. To live on the beach
4. I'm so excited!!!!
5. Being hyper and watching guys
6. Mustaches, baseball players, Drinking . . . pop

1. John Schloemp
2. Haystack
3. To never have to come back to this school
4. Don't cha know
5. Play basketball, Deidra

1. Donna Elaine Walker
2. Donna-B
3. To be ambitious
4. Oh great, No doubt
5. Sleeping and dreaming
6. General Hospital

1. Wex Wells
2. Weese "Crash" Wheels
3. Win the Jelly Bean Run!
4. How far coach?
5. Running
6. A pair of $60.00 running shoes





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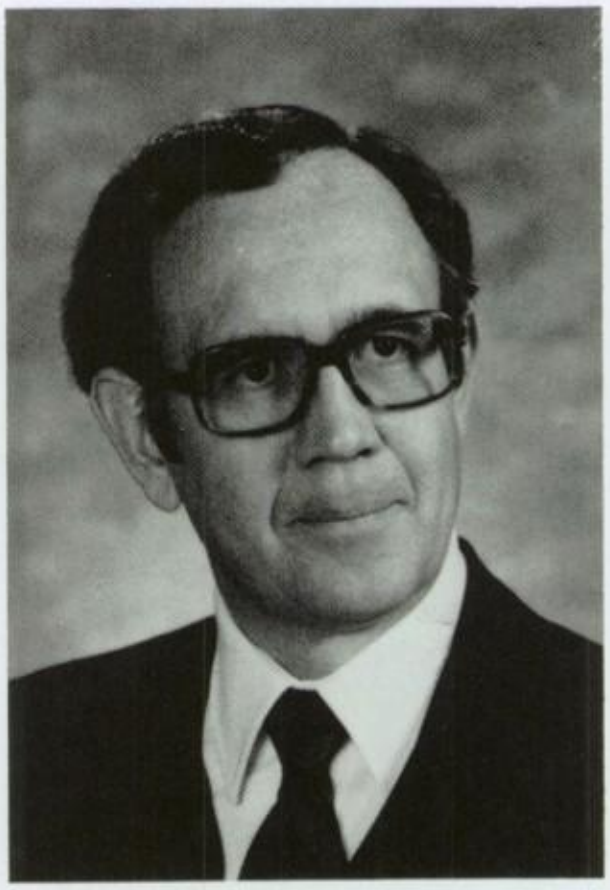
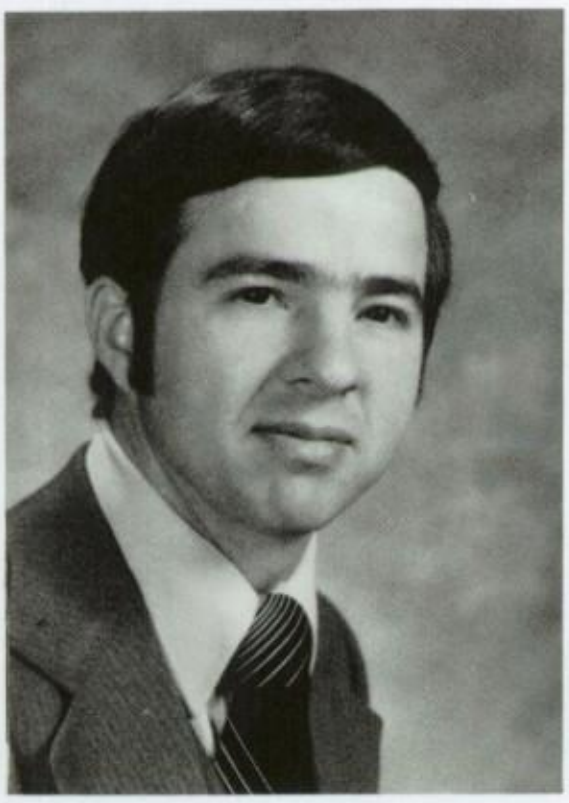


Mr. William Butler
Superintendent
4 years at L-B



Mr. Ronald Smith
High School Principal
2 years at L-B

Mrs. Marianne Anning
Elementary Principal
1 year at L-B

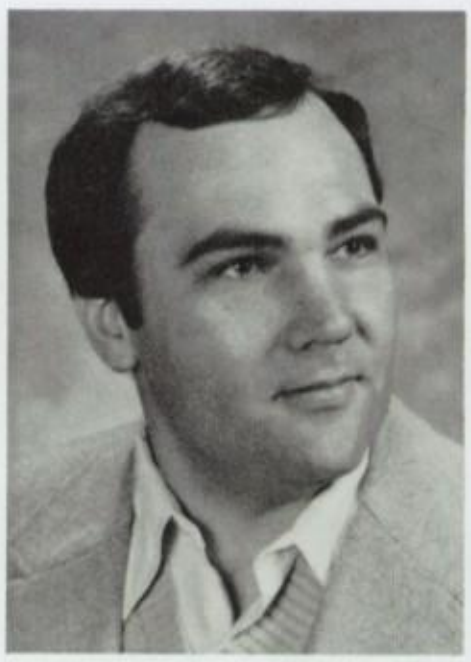
Dorothy Harshe
Superintendents
Secretary

Nancy Stillberger
High School
Secretary

Mary Petrys
Elementary
Secretary

Miss Brenda Benroth
Music, Chorus

Miss Amy Bogard
French, English



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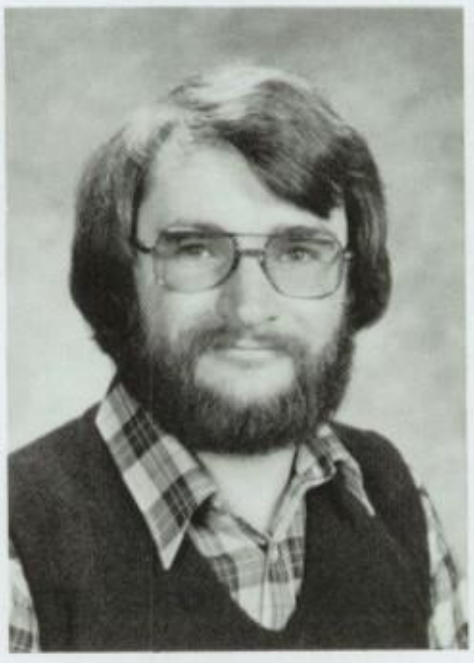
Athletic Director

Mrs. Vicki Butler
Business



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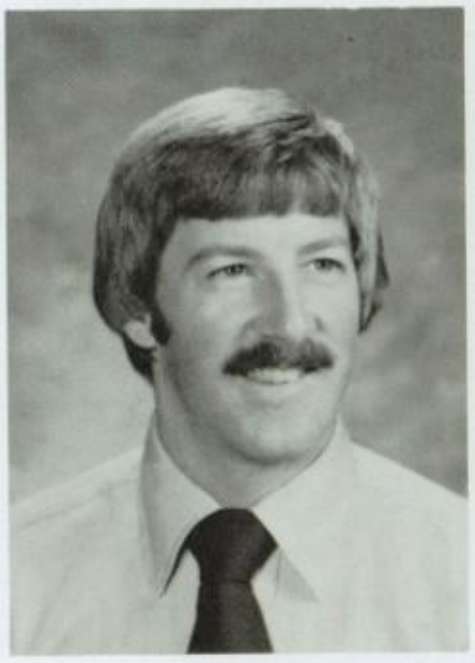
Chemistry, Physics



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Math, Track Coach

Mrs. Pat Heavrin
Science

Miss Harolyn Legg
Librarian, Cheerleading
Advisor

Mr. John Lewis
English, Speech,
Drama Advisor

Mrs. Karen Martin
Voc. Home Ec., Quest,
FHA Advisor

Mr. Joe Mihalik
Social Studies
Baseball Coach

Mrs. Donna Miller
Art, Annual Staff
Advisor

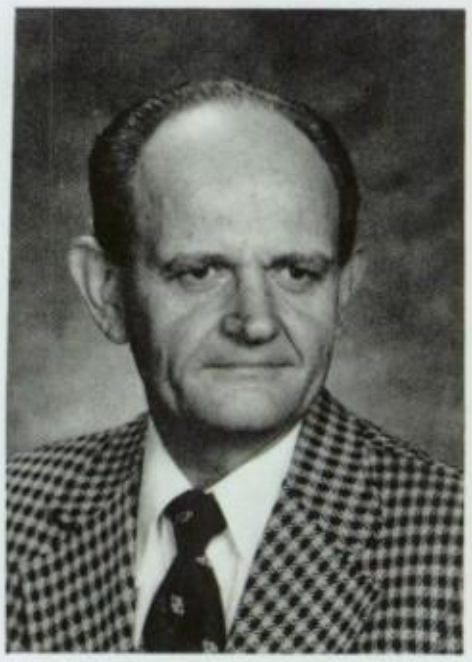
Mr. Steve Miller
Industrial Arts,
Asst. Football Coach

Mrs. Marcia New
Typing, Business

Mr. Dennis Osborn
Biology, Science

Mr. David Reese
Ag. Business, FFA
Advisor

Mr. Paul Schlotterbeck
Vo. Ag., FFA Advisor



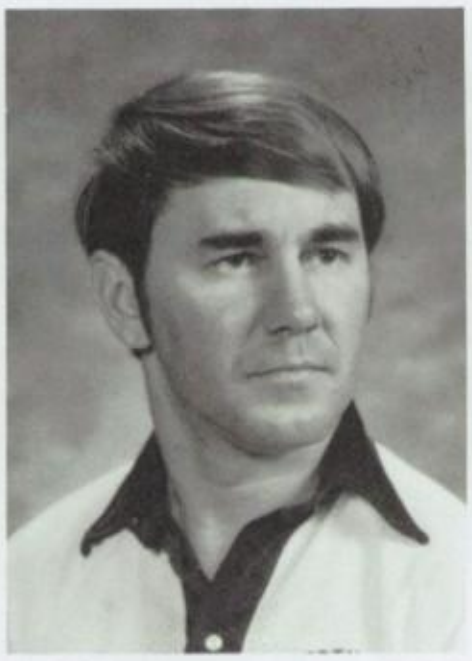
Mr. Wade Shank
Guidance, Psychology

Mrs. Christine Sullivan
Voc. Home Ec., FHA
Advisor

Miss Diane Swisher
Band

Miss Betsy Trame
Phys. Ed., Health Volley-
ball and Basketball Coach

Mr. Troi Tyner
English



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Football Coach

Mrs. Madalyn Youngbird
Sociology, World Affairs,
Government, Spanish

Mrs. Jodi Yearer
Student Teacher

Miss Cathy Schoonover
Student Teacher

Miss Shirley Allgure
Learning Disabilities
Teacher

Mrs. Eileen Holdman
Librarian

Mrs. Phyllis Williams
Learning Disabilites
Teacher

Mrs. Martha Rucker
Elementary Music

Mrs. Betty Arras
Playground Aid

Mrs. Debbie Cole
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Mrs. Norma Cavin
Treasurer

HONORS

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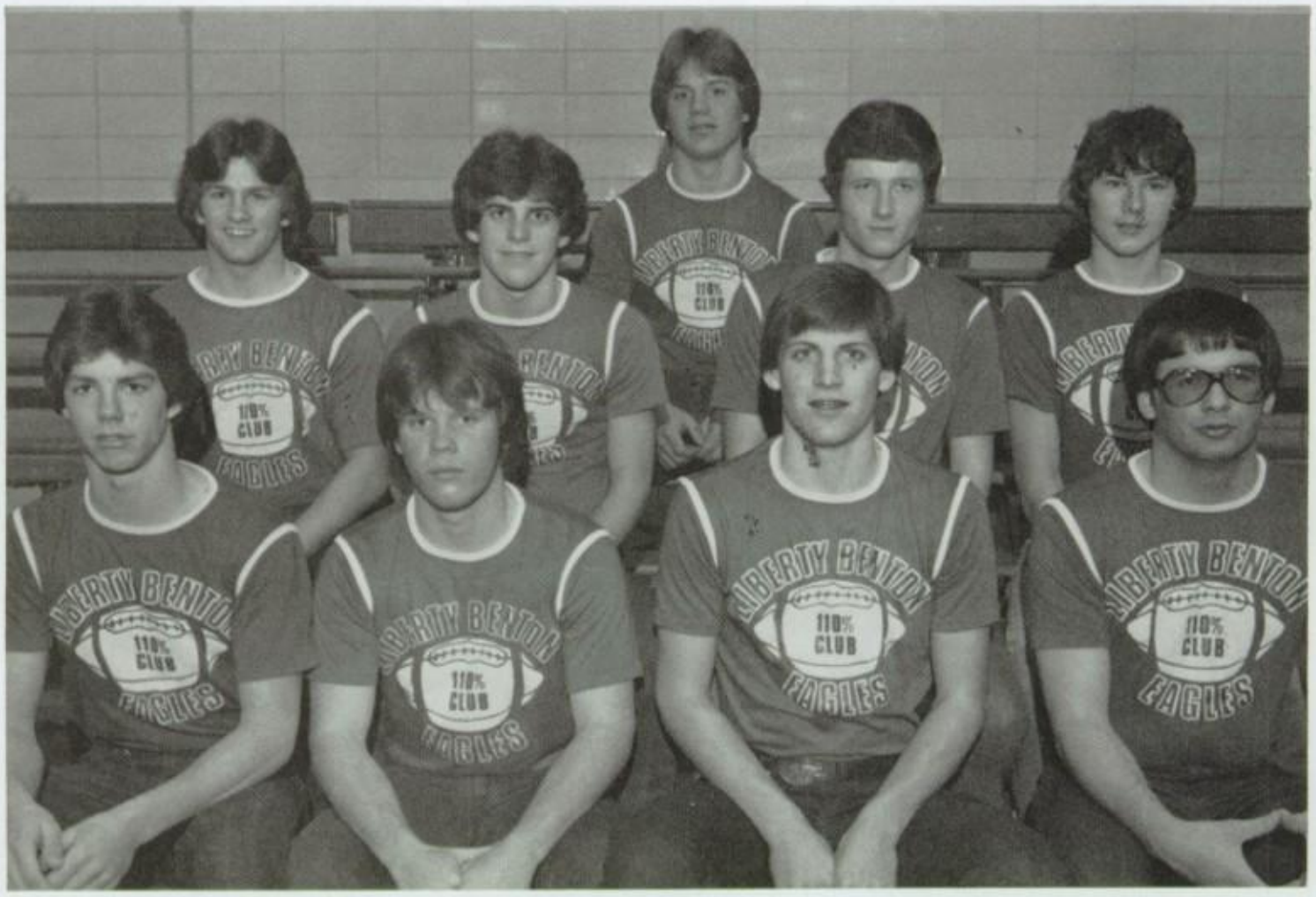


Row 1: Brian Swinehart; Row 2: Mike Fields, Kent Benson, Rick Williams, Rob Tong; Row 3: Jon Huffman, Kraig Williamson, John Bowman, Don Ackerman.

Row 1: John Bowman; Row 2: Kent Benson, Mike Fields, Barry Bourwell, Row 3: Jon Huffman, Kraig Williamson, Rob Tong, Brian Swinehart.

BVC

FFA HONORS

Ann Elsea

Ann Elsea was chosen as FFA Sweetheart at the annual Banquet held at the Old Barn April 21, 1981. Amongst the other candidates for Sweetheart were Deidra Cole, Kim Cramer, Karen Elsea, Betsy Gaertner, and Krista Weston. Ann's duties as Sweetheart will be to represent Liberty-Benton at the State Fair where she will be competing against many others from the state. Congratulations, Ann!

Other FFA honors included Bart Bunn and Rick Williams in the County FFA Tractor Trouble Shooting Contest, where they placed 2nd and then went on to the district competition where they finished 3rd.

The FFA was also involved in the soil judging competition. In urban soil judging Liberty-Benton placed 1st. Team members were Brad Weising, Warren Wells, John Schloemp, and Lee Ann Bakies.

The rural soil judging team placed third in the contest. The team consisted of Bart Bunn, Rick Williams, Dan Fry, and Tom Blunk. Bart Bunn placed fourth as an individual in the event. Good-luck to the future FFA competitors.

FHA ACHIEVEMENTS

Barb Lucas and Lennie Magee, members of the Liberty-Benton FHA, received State Homemaker degrees, the highest honor attainable in FHA. This honor has not been received by a L-B student since 1978.

Lucas and Magee completed a manual consisting of 25 letters of recommendation concerning their own activities. The letters were to reflect their growth as a homemaker, chapter member, high school leader. They also demonstrated personal growth and leadership as an individual through FHA, church, and school. Congratulations, Barb and Lennie on a job well done!

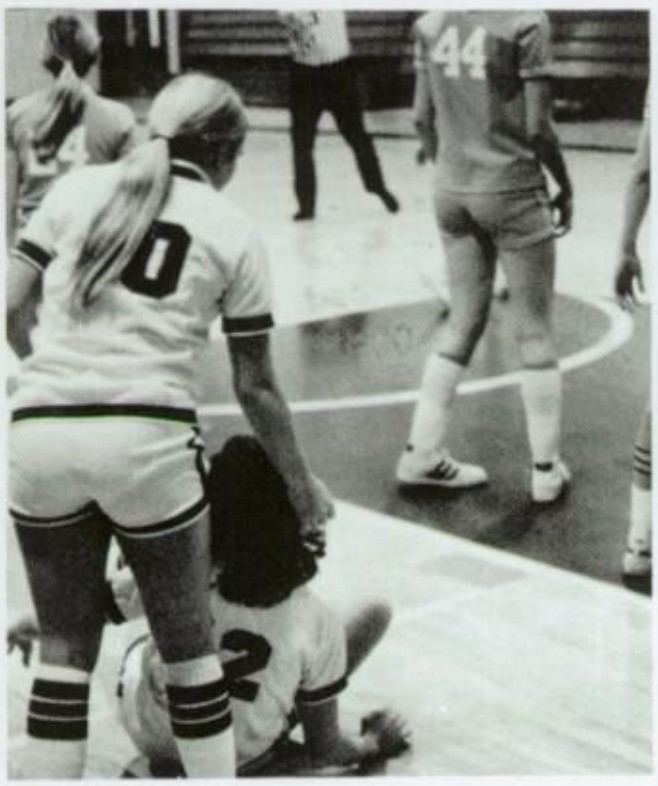
GIRLS BASKETBALL

Coach Betsy Trame
Coach of the Year

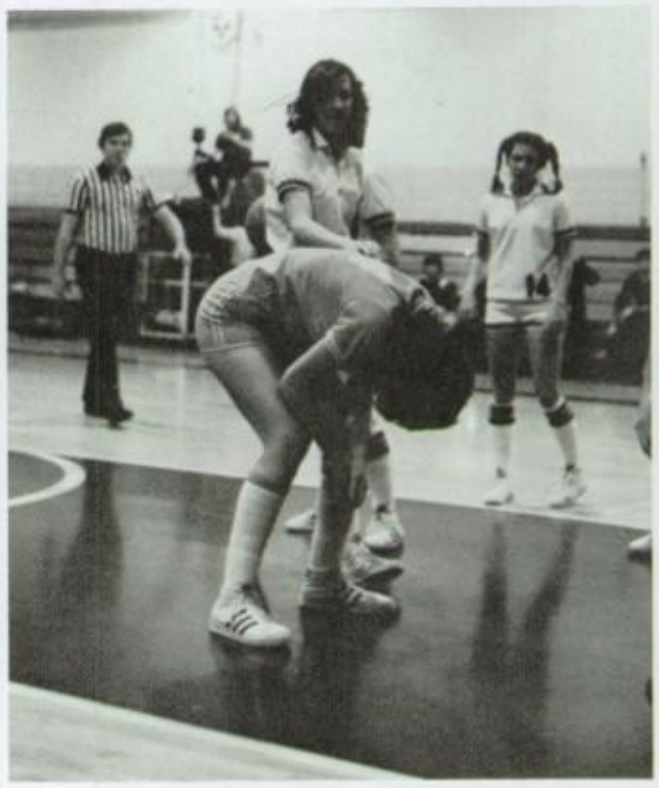
2nd TEAM ALL-BVC
Jackie Fields

HONORABLE MENTION
Tammy Brown
Deb Fields

Senior-Krista Weston
1st Team All-BVC



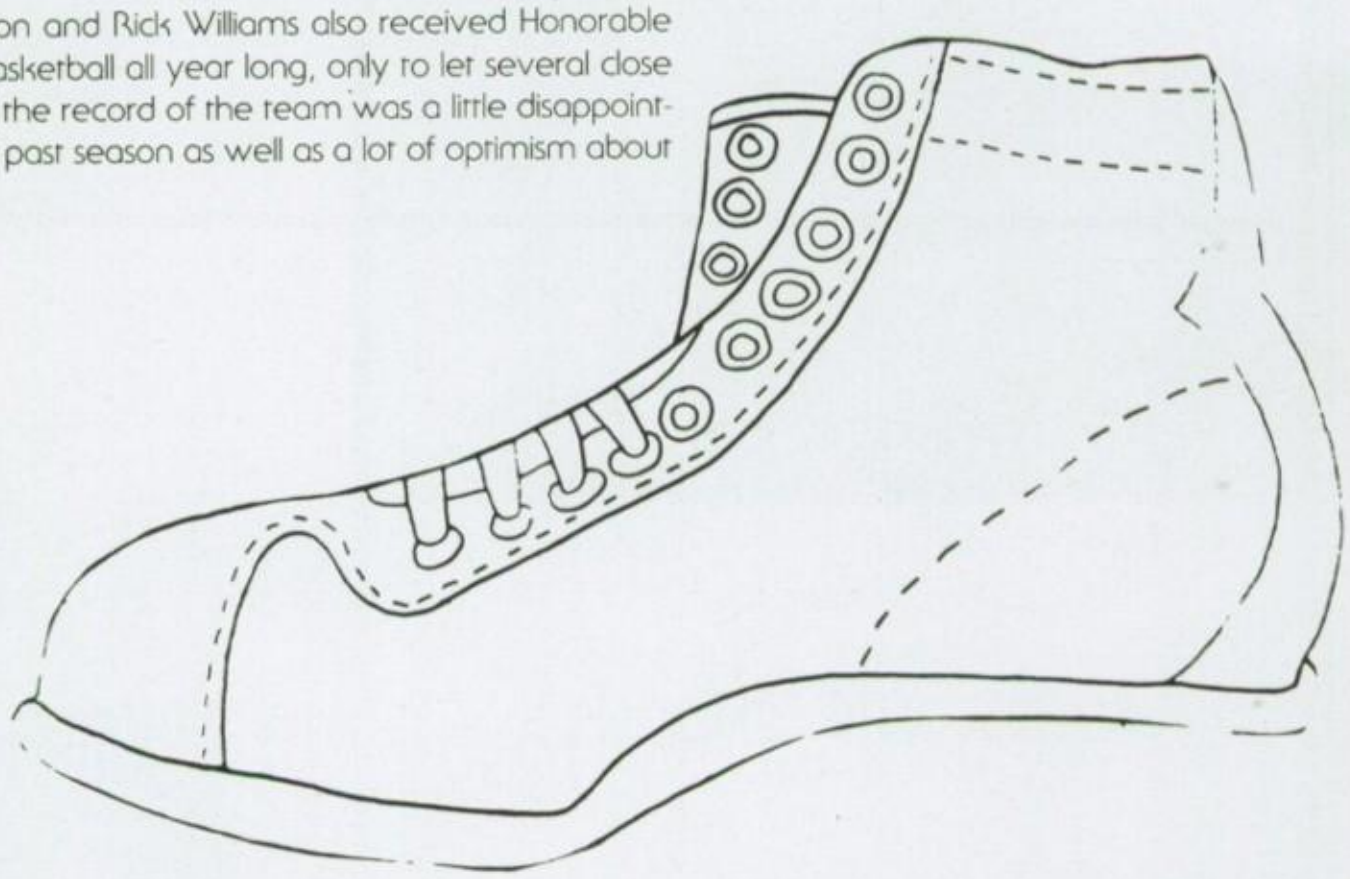
BVC CHAMPS!



Dec.	8	Hardin-Northern 26	L-B-52
Dec.	15	Leipsic-55	L-B-56
Jan.	5	Arlington-65	L-B-66
Jan.	12	McComb-38	L-B-57
Jan.	19	Van Buren-36	L-B-44
Jan.	26	Pandora-Gilboa-26	L-B-47
Feb.	2	Vanlue-40	L-B-57
Feb.	9	Cory-Rawson-52	L-B-61
Feb.	16	Arcadia-44	L-B-64

1981 BASKETBALL BVC ALL-STARS!

The Liberty-Benton Eagles ended their season with a 2-7 record (BVC-8th place) and a 6-15 overall record. John Schloemp was chosen for the 2nd team All-BVC picks for the 1981 basketball season. Kent Benson and Rick Williams also received Honorable Mention. The Eagles played exciting basketball all year long, only to let several close games slip away in the end. Although the record of the team was a little disappointing there were several bright spots this past season as well as a lot of optimism about the future.

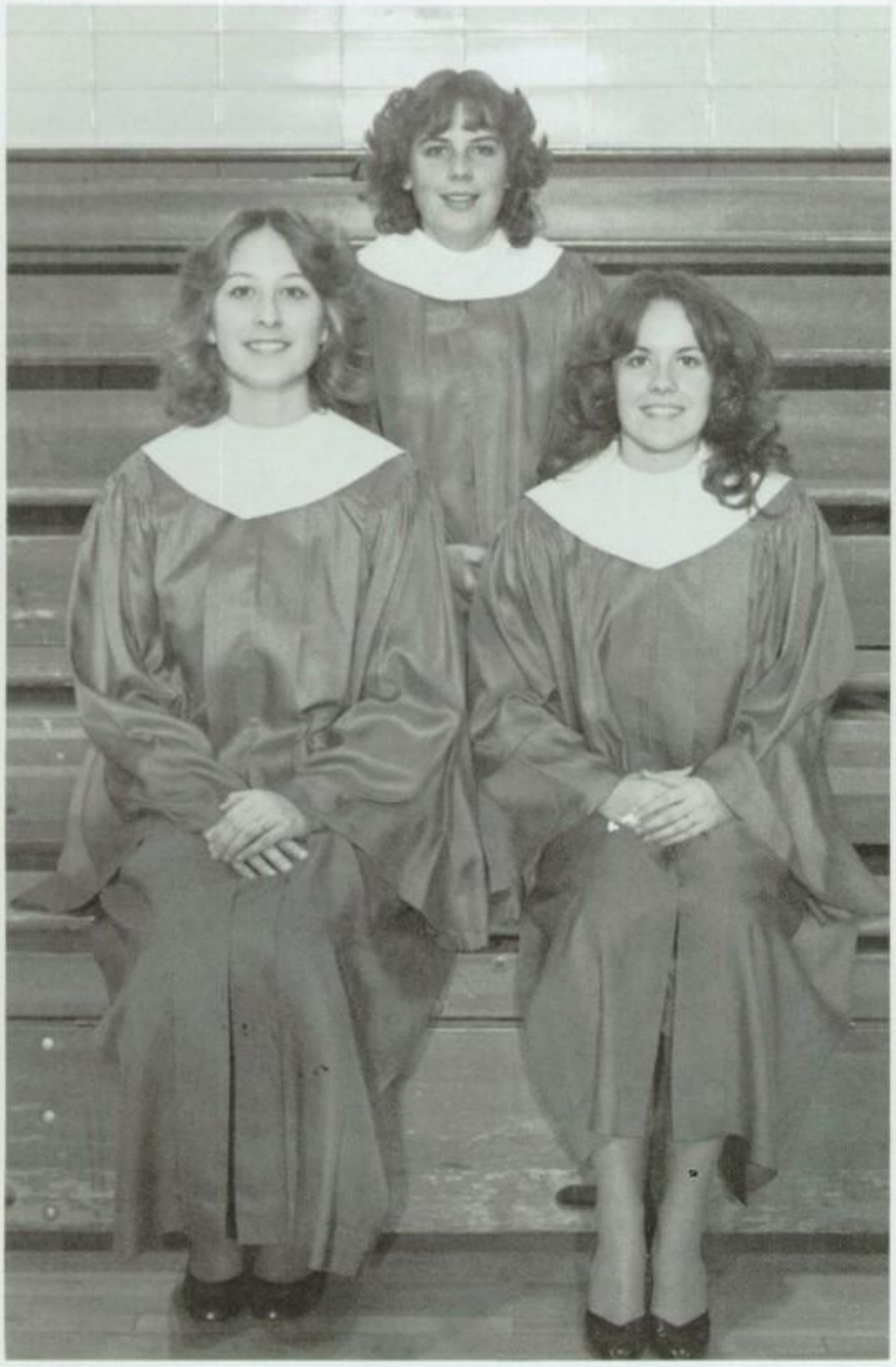


OUTSTANDING TRACK MEMBERS

Congratulations to the Liberty-Benton Boys' Track Team who captured the BVC Crown and set many meet and school records at the BVC Track Meet. John Schloemp, Discus-150'4". Barry Martin, Low Hurdles, with a time of 41.6 and the 400 Meter Relay Team of Greg Williams, Jon Huffman, Barry Martin, and Kent Benson with a time of 46.1.

The Liberty-Benton Girls' Track Team also had a fine performance at the BVC Meet where they broke three school records. Marcy Kline ran a 28.1 in the 200 Meter Dash. The 1600 Meter Relay Team of Lisa Franks, Cathy Wittenberg, Jacquie Ridge, and Ann Elsea broke their record with a time of 4:32.8. The 3200 Meter Relay Team of Amy Light, Kim Holdman, Cathy Wittenberg, and Amy Beck broke the old school record of 10:58.6, set in 1980 with a time of 10:56.4.

Congratulations to both the Boys' and Girls' Track Teams for their fine performances.



Donna Walker
Kim Cramer Belinda Behrens

ALL COUNTY CHORUS

DISTRICT CHORUS

Donna Walker

Row 1: D. Waaland, A. Pickens, L. Bakies, S. Deerwester.
Row 2: S. Garner, A. Benson, R. Housh, B. McDougall, A. Light.

The 1980 Senior Band would like to honor Senior Sherri Garner and Junior Darren Waaland for their outstanding musical accomplishments this year. Due to their musical abilities and hard work they were selected for and won honors in the following areas outside of L-B.

Darren Waaland

All County Band
Solo and Ensemble Contests
Ohio State University Reading Band
Bowling Green State University Sight Reading Band
Ohio Northern Honors Band
Findlay Civic Band
All Ohio State Fair Band
O.M.E.A. State Band

Sherri Garner

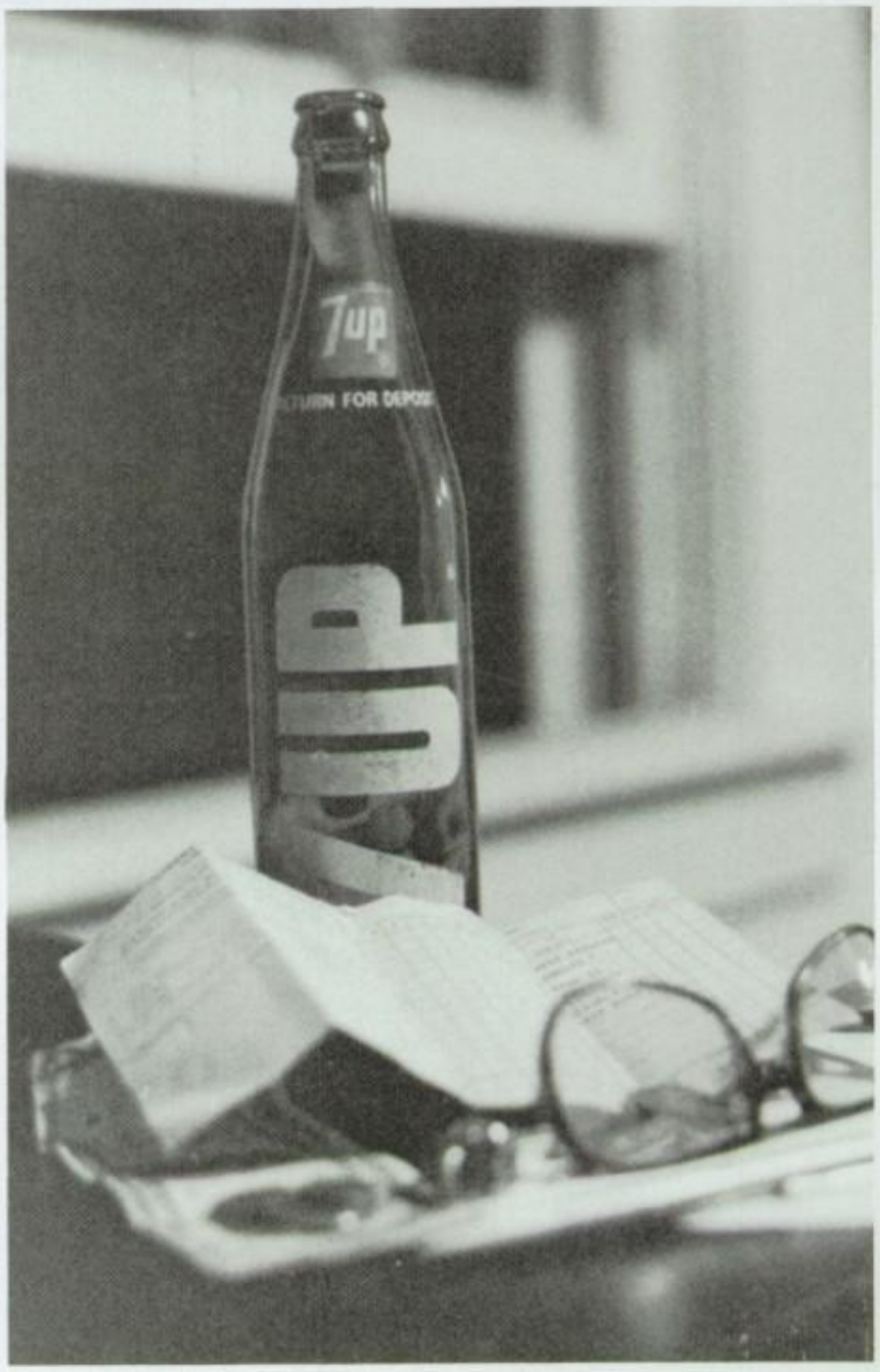
All County Band
Solo and Ensemble Contests
Ohio State University Reading Band
Ohio Northern Honors Band
Findlay Civic Band
All Ohio State Fair Band
District III Regional Orchestra
Lima Youth Symphony
B.G.S.U. Youth Orchestra
North West Ohio Percussion Ensemble

SCHOLASTIC HONORS

Doug Schumacher, member of the 1981 Scholastic Achievement Tests, placed in the district with his high score on the test in Chemistry. Congratulations, Doug!

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENT TEST MEMBERS

English 9	-Tracy Capes & Craig Wagner
English 10	-Tonia Palmer & Jenny Payne
English 11	-Nancy Dommer & Ann Elsea
English 12	-Judy Dommer & Ann Benson
French I	-Amy Schimmoeller & Ann Pickens
French II	-Bobbi McDougall & Susan Deerwester
Biology I	-Jacquie Ridge & John Chapin
Chemistry	-Doug Schumacher & Jeff Hempfling
Algebra I	-Troy Fuller & Dan Shaffer
Algebra II	-Rick Brand & Dwayne Schaffer
Geometry	-Craig Hempfling & Mike Willadsen
American History	-Tammy Brown & Belinda Behrens
Sr. Social Studies	-Kim Cramer & Sherri Garner
Spanish I	-Gina Caldanaro & Kathy Depinet
Spanish II	-Lynda Muntz & Patty Wagner



HONORS BANQUET

The initial Honors Banquet was held on April 30, 1981, at 6:30 in the school cafeteria. This banquet was organized to recognize the top 10% of the students in grades 9 thru 12. Mr. William Jones was the speaker for the occasion.

The students honored included:

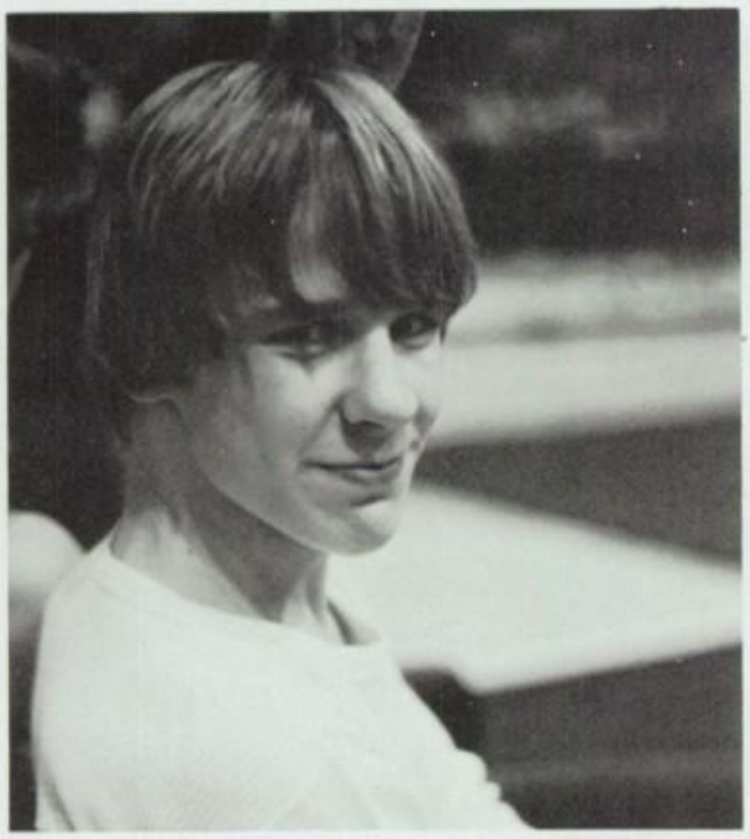
Seniors
Kim Cramer
Karen Elsea
Rob Allen
Lee Bakies
Judy Dommer

Juniors
Doug Schumacher
Dewayne Schaffer
Jeff Hempfling
Robin Housh
Nancy Dommer
Tammy Brown
Ann Elsea

Sophomores
Jacquie Ridge
Susan Deeester
Tonia Palmer
Janet Muntz
Lisa Franks
Jenny Payne

Freshmen
Brett Swisher
Dan Shaffer
Kathy Depinet
Tracy Capes
Mark Williams
Gina Caldanaro

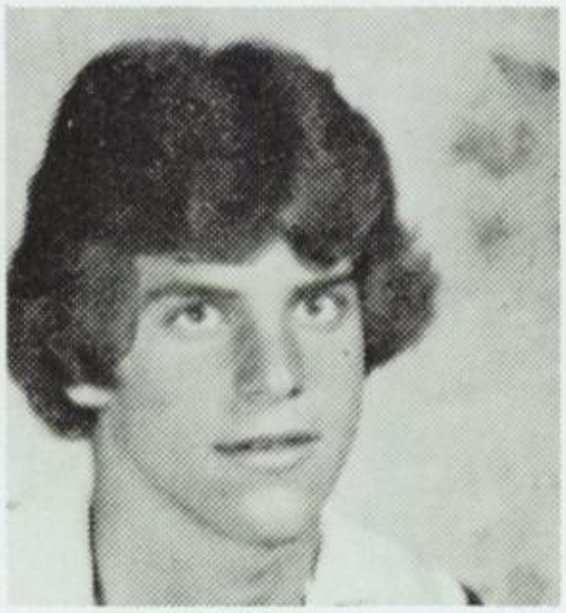
WRESTLING HONORS



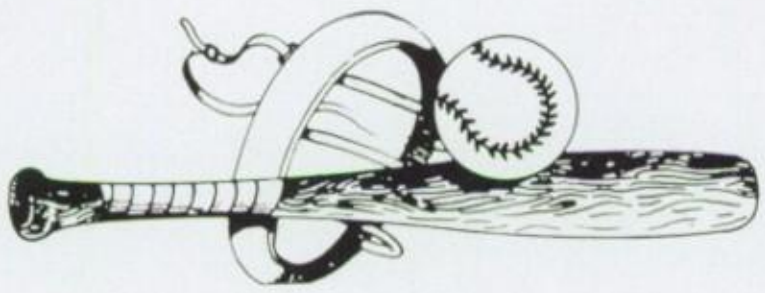
SCOTT SELLERS, a member of the Liberty-Benton Wrestling team, broke two records during his season. Scott had the most pins per season record (15) and the most points per season record (144).

In sectional competition several wrestlers placed in the top five positions. Scott was the top achiever with a first place finish. Mark Benson was next in line with a third place finish, Warren Wells and Wade Barger both took fourth place and Keith Cavin was next with a fifth place finish. These Wrestlers represented Liberty-Benton in the district competition where Scott placed fourth, which enabled him to go to the State competition as an alternate. Congratulations to Scott and the team!

TOPS IN BASEBALL



Gary DeThomas, Kent Benson, and Mike Fields represented Liberty-Benton in the BVC choices. Gary DeThomas was chosen for the 1st Team, Kent Benson for the 2nd Team, and Mike Fields was named as honorable mention. Congratulations for receiving these honors!



Homecoming 1980

Jody Beck

Senior
Attendant

Karen Elsea

1980
Homecoming
Queen

Deb Paxton

Junior
Attendant

Sophomore
Attendant

Gail Peggs

Freshman
Attendant

Tammi Griffith

Homecoming
Court

Homecoming 1980

The 1980 Homecoming Game was held Friday, October 3, against Van Buren. The members of the Royal Court were:

Karen Elsea	-Wes Wells
Jody Beck	-John Bowman
Deb Paxton	-Rick Williams
Gail Peggs	-Steve Tong
Tammi Griffith	-Wade Barger
Laura Zeltner	-Kent Benson

The Queen and her Court were escorted across the field to the music of Dan Fogelberg's "Longer."

The Queen and her Court put on a different appearance this year. They shunned the formals and adopted "the look" of plaid skirts and blazers.

The weather was cold but the team was "hot." The score was Liberty-Benton 40 and Van Buren 7.

The following night a dance was held from 8:30-11:30 in the gym. The music was provided by J.B. Sound.

Crown
Bearer
•
Andrea
Dorman
and
Jason
Hoane
•
Football
Bearer

Wes Wells
Crowns Karen

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

First row: John Schloemp, Gary DeThomas, John Bowman, Jeff Holdman, Kent Benson, Craig Bishop, Sherri Garner; second row: Barb Lucas, Jody Beck, Kim Cramer, Jenny Flick, Lee Bakies, Rob Allen, Ann Benson; third row: Janet Meyer, Judy Dommer, and Karen Elsea.

Sergeant at Arms: John Bowman

Secretary-Treasurer: Kim Cramer

Girl's State: Kim Cramer

Boy's State: Wes Wells

STATE CHAMP!

JOHN SCHLOEMP
1981-CLASS A
DISCUS
CHAMPION
174'0"

John Schloemp, through dedication and hard work, achieved a goal for which many strive, but very few realize. At the State Track Meet in Columbus the weekend of June 5-6, John threw the discus 174', thus capturing the Class A title. The first state track and field title ever won by an L-B student. Congratulations John, we are proud to have had you represent Liberty-Benton!

UNDERCLASSMEN

H. Althaus

R. Amerrano

P. Baney

A. Beck

B. Behrens

J. Beucler

T. Blunk

T. Brannan

T. Brown

S. Chambers

J. Cook

D. Cramer

J. Crow

S. Davis

R. Depuy

M. Dommer

A. Elsea

T. England

D. Fields

K. Firzgerald

B. Goertner

S. Garner

R. Gronbach

J. Helms

J. Hempfling

S. Hills

R. Housh

J. Huffman

S. Kingsley

L. Kline

A. Kuhlman

R. LaFontaine

T. Lee

S. Lemons

S. Loach

Juniors

Not Present
D. Cole
C. Mallett

R. Lucas

D. Mallett

D. McCartney

J. McCrory

S. Michelsen

J. Miles

K. Niswander

D. Paxton

T. Quickle

J. Schimmoeller

D. Shumacher

S. Sellers

D. Shafer

P. Shearer

P. Shuck

D. Swinehart

S. Vermillion

D. Waaland

B. Weising

W. Wells

D. Williams

R. Williams

K. Williamson

C. Wittenberg

Class officers: Standing, Rhonda DePuy, Robin Housh, Deidra Cole. Kneeling, Ann Elsea, Chris Mallett, Cathy Wittenberg. Not Pictured: Betsy Gaertner.

B. Arnold

C. Baker

M. Benson

R. Bibler

B. Boutwell

S. Brattigan

L. Brown

R. Brand

C. Bunn

J. Chapin

K. Cavin

G. Clark

T. Clymer

S. Deerwester

M. Dykes

J. Fields

J. Flick

L. Franks

D. Freeland

J. Frey

S. Hamilton

J. Hanna

C. Helms

C. Hempfling

B. Jackson

B. Karcher

D. Kennedy

M. Kline

J. Krauss

G. LaRoche

L. Lear

A. Light

S. Maguire

B. Martin

T. Matheny

B. McDougall

B. McDougall

W. Meadows

C. Meeker

J. Miles

P. Misamore

J. Muntz

B. Newton

D. Niswander

S. Oswald

T. Palmer

M. Paxton

G. Peggs

Sophomores

P.E. Geometry Sophomore attendant Prom French Industrial Arts

Not Present
L. Phebo
M. Willadson

J. Payne

R. Ream

J. Ridge

B. Robinson

J. Saums

K. Scheonover

V. Spong

B. Swineharr

R. Tong

S. Tong

H. Tran

P. Wagner

B. Walker

B. Waxler

D. Weese

B. Weising

L. Weston

G. William

J. Zeltner

Class officers: Lisa Weston, Marcy Kline, Steve Hamilton, Jacquie Ridge, Jenny Payne, Jeff Flick, Jill Krauss.

K. Anspach

S. Arnold

W. Barger

B. Bell

J. Bowser

M. Burner

G. Boldanaro

T. Capes

G. Cole

L. Corner

T. Cramer

W. Cramer

G. Davis

K. Depiner

R. Escamilla

S. Fry

T. Fuller

M. George

T. Griffith

S. Gunn

J. Hance

A. Hills

K. Holdman

M. La Rue

C. LaWarre

B. Killian

B. Lear

M. Mallett

S. Marhenke

K. McCarthy

M. Miles

Y. Miller

S. Morrow

D. Osborne

F. Perry

L. Perrys

Freshmen

A. Pickens

K. Powell

T. Quickle

S. Rucker

Not Present:
J. Flugga
K. Kegley
F. McDonald
D. Shaffer

A. Schimmoeller

J. Schloemp

J. Sheldon

S. Siferd

R. Sink

V. Smith

M. Spong

B. Swisher

B. Vance

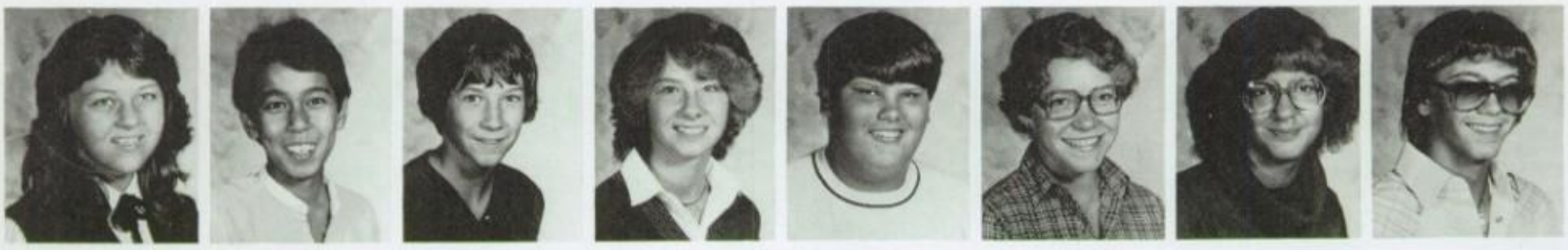
E. Vermillion

C. Wagner

M. Williams

C. Wittenmeyer

Class officers: standing; Mike Mallett, Kelly Anspach, Greg Davis, Mike Spong. sitting; Shannon Fry, Tammy Griffith.



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Eighth Grade

Junior High Track
Home Economics
Basketball
American History!

A. Perry

J. Ridge

B. Rodriquez

M. Schweitzer

A. Schimmoeller

S. Seek

S. Shackleford

D. Shuck

S. Stoltz

T. Stults

L. Thibeault

R. Waldman

B. Weising

B. Williams

B. Wittenmyer

K. Workman

J. Young

A. Zeltner

J. Zirkle

Seared: A. Anspach, D. Horne, B. Goertner
Standing: B. Kennedy, S. Burner, M. Schweitzer, P. Fitzgerald

M. Alexander

J. Arras

S. Aurand

R. Beck

C. Bell

S. Blanchard

S. Blankenship

D. Brown

J. Brown

R. Burner

A. Caldanaro

M. Chasco

B. Depiner

B. Dorman

R. Frankart

D. George

T. Gillen

M. Hartman

K. Helms

L. Hills

T. Hissong

K. Horse

R. Housh

B. Inbody

W. Jones

J. Kisseberth

K. Kisseberth

S. Kluborg

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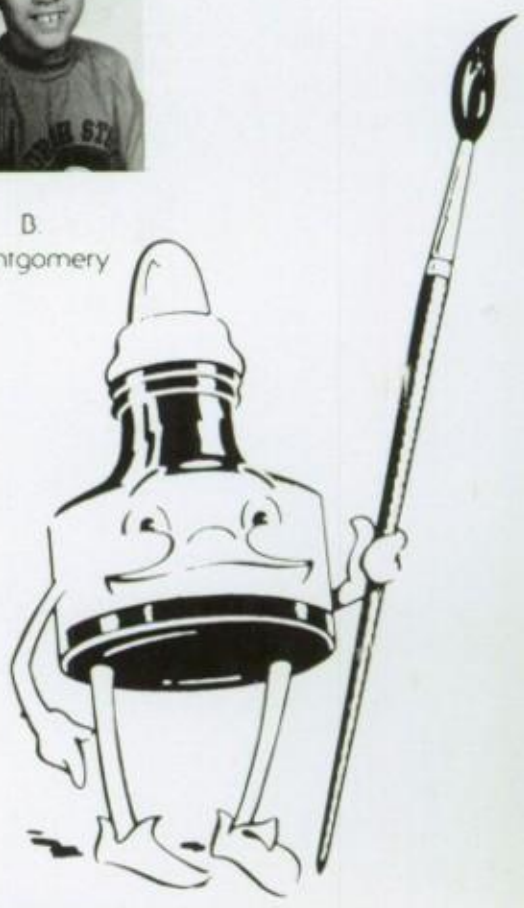

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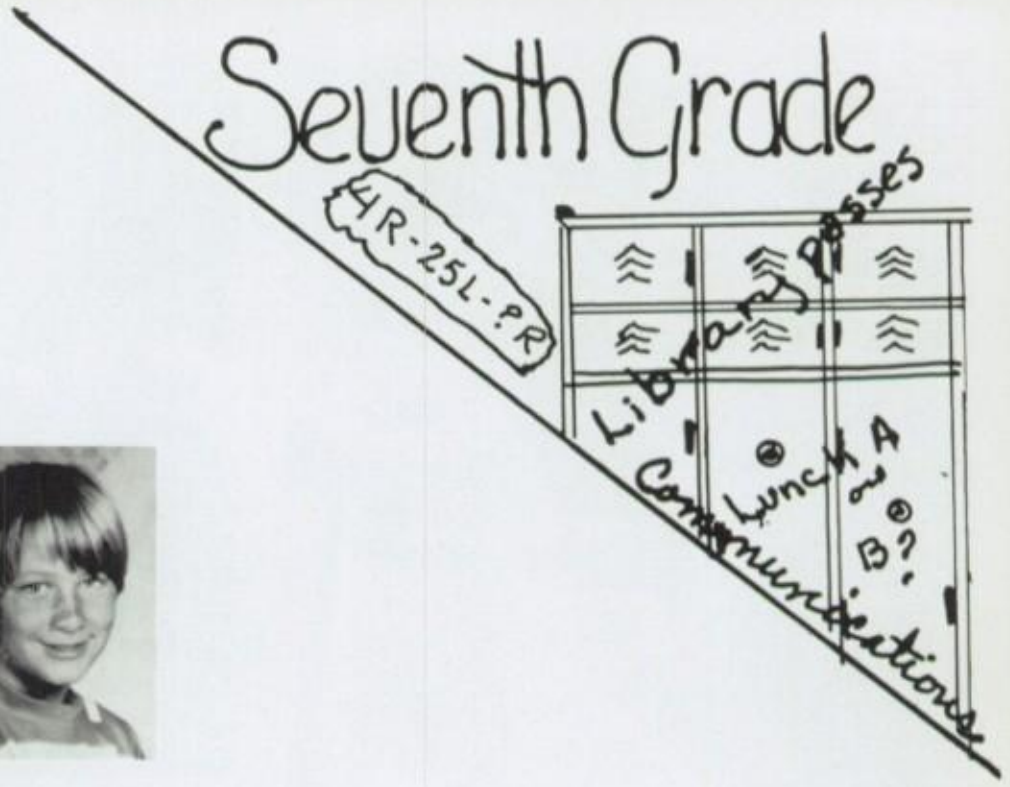

T. Oller

C. Osborn

K. Pickens

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B. Srarcher

J. Srillberger

M. Srockton

C. Srrait

C. Ward

D. Weese

C. Williams

B. Wittenmyer

M. Wolford

M. Wooley

K. Workman

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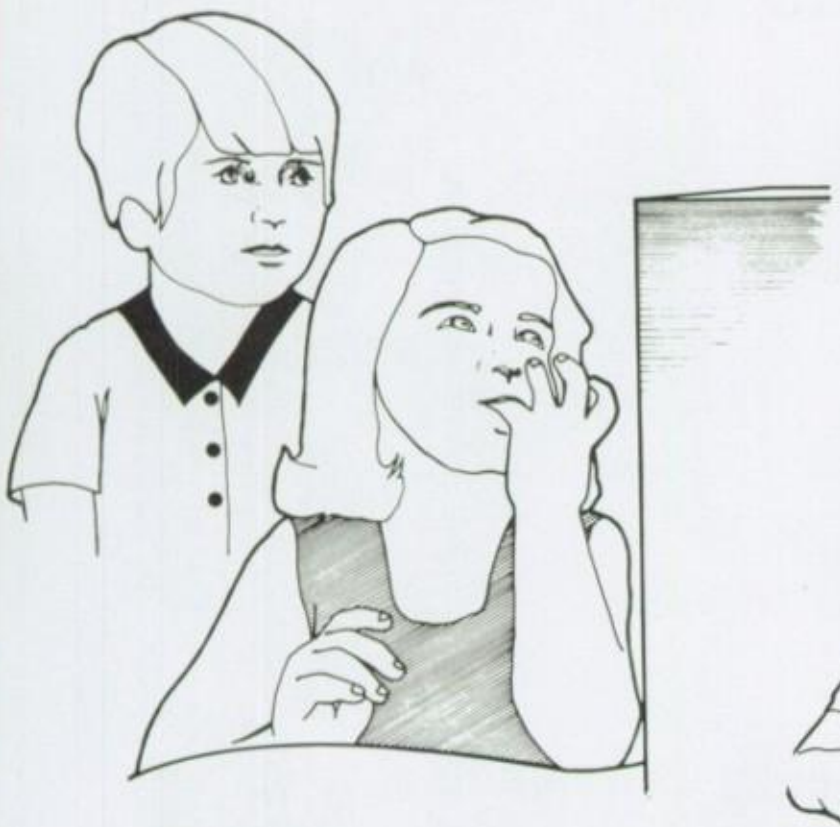

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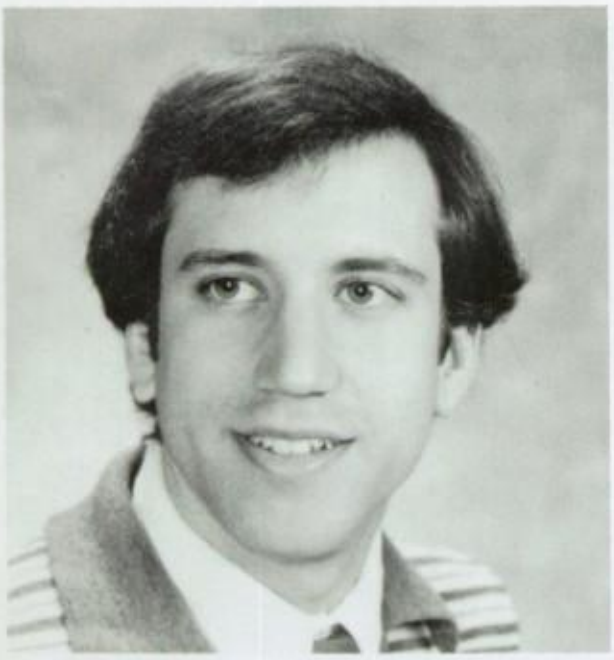

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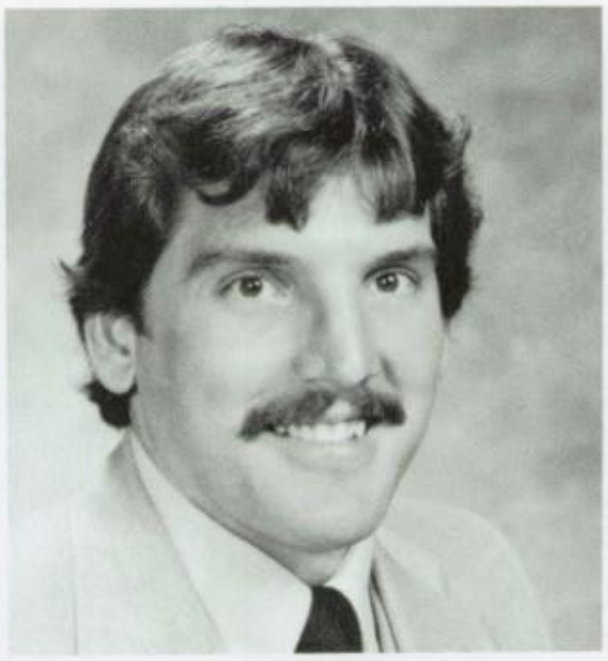

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S. Clymer

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B. Cramer

K. Corner

B. Davis

C. DeSalve

G. Dick

N. Dommer

A. Fisher

L. Frey

E. Giesey

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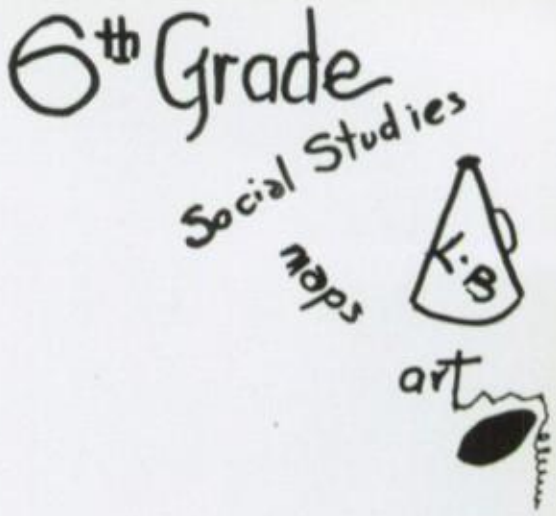

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E. Morales

T. Morales

H. Neff

P. Newton

K. Patterson

K. Paxton

J. Perry

W. Powell

J. Reasoner

J. Richcreek

M. Schoonover

B. Schubert

C. Stahl

M. Stoltz

S. Switzer

L. Teeple

M. Thomas

K. Walker

B. Weston

A. Wolford

D. Zirkle

Mrs. Wise

Miss Cool

Mrs. Cover

J. Arnett

J. Beck

L. Bender

S. Benson

B. Billcheck

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B. Dorman

E. Durliat

J. Frantz

T. Freck

D. Haymond

S. Henschen

H. Hirr

P. Hughes

A. Kern

J. King

B. Kisseberth

C. Knapp

L. LaWarre

M. Lazenby

P. Lee

R. Lyrle

T. Marhenke

5th Grade nouns verbs

K. Matheny

D. McCarthy

P. Mearing

D. Megely

J. Meyers

L. Meyers

T. Mirchell

J. Montgomry

J. Niviso

J. Oller

E. Osborn

K. Payne

J. Perez

D. Powell

J. Rath

S. Ream

T. Richereek

A. Roach

A. Rosales

R. Rose

J. Russel

B. Shaade

T. Schimmoeller

P. Shearer

R. Shearer

B. Sparks

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P. Averil

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J. Burnett

J. Caldanaro

J. Chasco

M. Chasco

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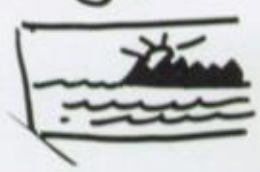

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L. Bartolomeo

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J. Cramner

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W. Harvey

R. Harch

T. Higgins

R. Holiday

S. Hutson

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C. Keckler

J. Keller

T. Knight

G. Knudson

T. Lamb

B. Lane

Third Grade

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M. LaRoche

L. Lazenby

N. McCahan

S. McCartney

M. Mendez

C. Myers

T. Nalley

D. Newell

M. Nivison

B. O'Malley

M. O'Malley

T. Rose

P. Ruchel

B. Schimoeller

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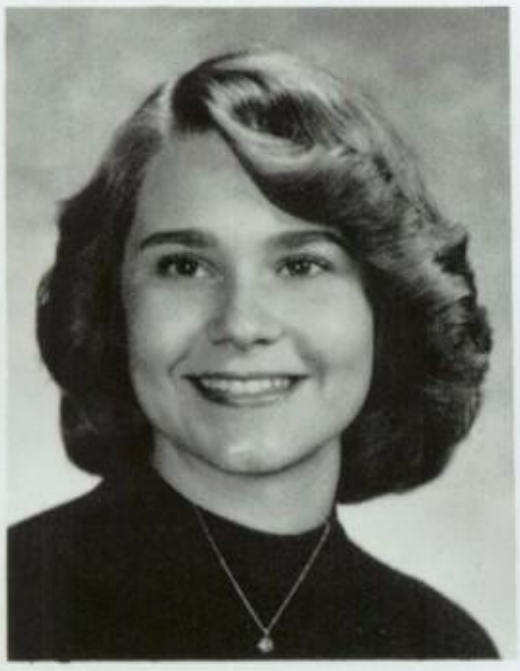

Mrs. Green

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A. Martin

A. Mertins

Second Grade

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M. Miles

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M. Miller

A. Modd

H. Monday

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B. Nageria

R. Nelson

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J. Petrie

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T. Risner

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J. Shuck

E. Snyder

C. Stewart

J. Waldman

H. Weidman

A. Williams

K. Workman

J. White

Mrs. Ackerman

Mrs. Kisseberth

Miss Snyder

S. Adams

S. Arrizola

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E. Kronberg

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B. Lindhorst

T. Matheny

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D. McCahan

N. McCarthey

M. Miles

L. Montgomery

J. Nalle

First Grade

J. Patterson

T. Payne

T. Price

D. Richcreek

B. Rivard

B. Rose

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J. Rund

A. Russel

B. Schawb

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G. Krieger

K. Knight

S. Matheny

J. Miller

Kindergarten

N. Montgomery

K. Pirney

J. Radabaugh

A. Reirer

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P. Ruehle

J. Sands

C. Sherer

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M. Siler

M. Simon

K. Smith

S. Smith

S. Spence

R. Starcher

R. Stewart

J. Stokes

R. Stokes

J. Swaim

G. Wilson

J. Wittenmyer

B. Wiler

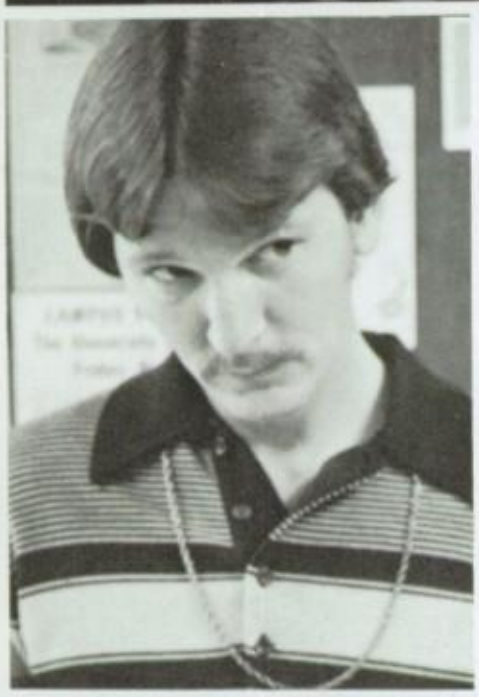
Innocence and Fascination
Why? Why? Why
Busy, Busy, Busy
So young,
and so full of life
Just starting to bloom-
Discovering one another
Treading the first small steps
Down the pathway of knowledge
Kindergarten . . .

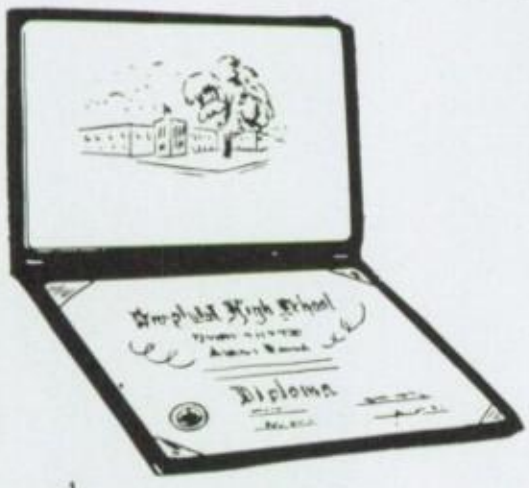
New numbers, new letters
New stories
New people
A new way of life;
Kindergarten-
On the way up!!

-Ann Benson

FUN IN THE MUD!

Campus Life is a Christian organization devoted to working with high school young people. Their goal is to help students develop in the mental, social, physical, and spiritual areas of their lives. The Mud Bowl, roller skating parties, and various trips are examples of activities offered to help in this development. The Campus Life program also meets weekly in students' homes and directs its focus to the issues, problems, and frustrations facing today's youth.





ACTIVITIES

Home
Economics

Christmas
Luncheon

For
Faculty

Santa
Claus
by
Rob Allen

Oversees
Food
Table
From
The
Blackboard

DRAMA CLUB

Row 1: A. Perry, S. Stoltz, M. Fuller, J. Flick, M. Schweitzer, R. DePuy, A. Benson, W. Wells, K. Elsea, D. Horne, B. Weising, T. McCartney, A. Zeltner, B. Williams
Row 2: Y. Miller, J. Hance, B. Gaertner, J. Young, C. Wittenberg, T. England, D. McCartney, D. Woaland, D. Fields
Row 3: M. Maller, J. Zeltner, S. Deerwester, T. Quickle, T. Capes, W. Cramer, J. Sheldon, S. Garner, B. Vance, C. LaWarre, M. Benson
Row 4: Mr. Lewis, J. Adams, P. Wagner, L. Corner, L. Perrys, M. George, D. Schumacher, J. Payne, T. Fuller, S. Hills, W. Wells, S. Garner, R. Allen

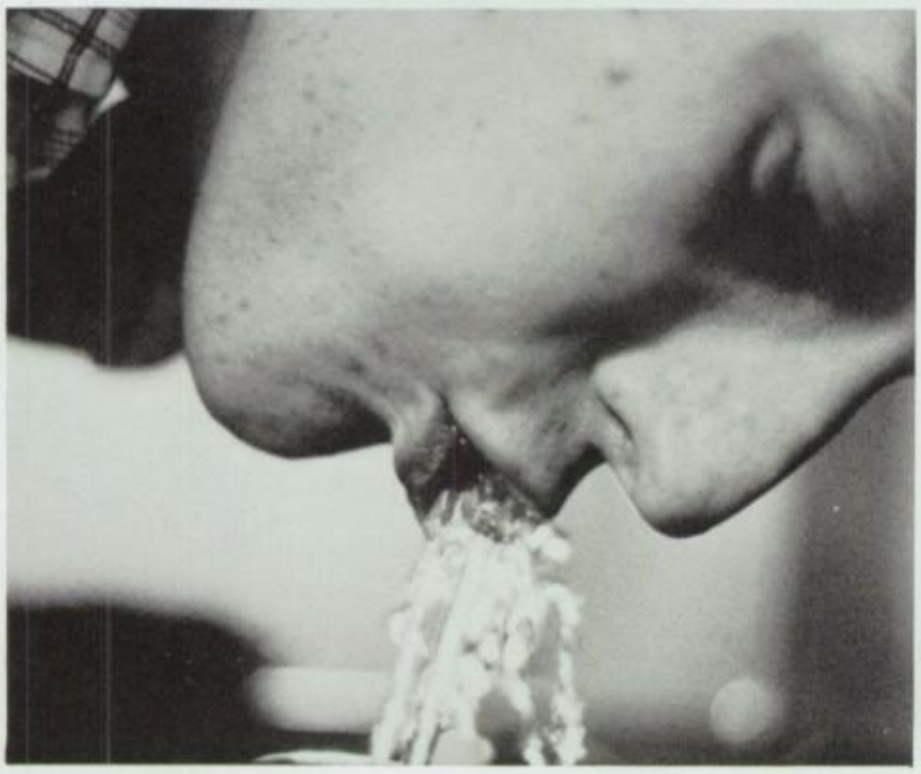
The drama club's main responsibility this year was helping out with the play, *Come Blow Your Horn*. Aside from attending meetings after school, many members went to see plays performed in the area. Our goal for next year is to have a bigger club and another good performance.

Right to Left: Karen Elsea, President
Warren Wells, Secretary
Ann Benson, Vice-President

JR-SR DAY

Wednesday, May 13th, from 8:00 a.m. to 11:45 a.m., was the setting for the battle between the Junior and Senior classes. Scheduled events were: volleyball, softball, soccer, floor hockey, and tug-of-war. The teams were matched Junior boys against Senior boys, and Juniors girls against Senior girls. Each event was worth 10 points to the winner and 5 points to the loser. After the score was tallied, the Seniors came out on top. Because of the outcome, Senior class President, Craig Bishop, "treated" the President of the Junior class, Betsy Gaertner, with a pie in her face. Guess you can't win 'em all, Juniors!!

New to the students of Liberty-Benton is the TRS-80 Computer which was donated by Gary Harpst. The computer has been used by the chemistry, physics, and trigonometry classes, as well as the teachers.



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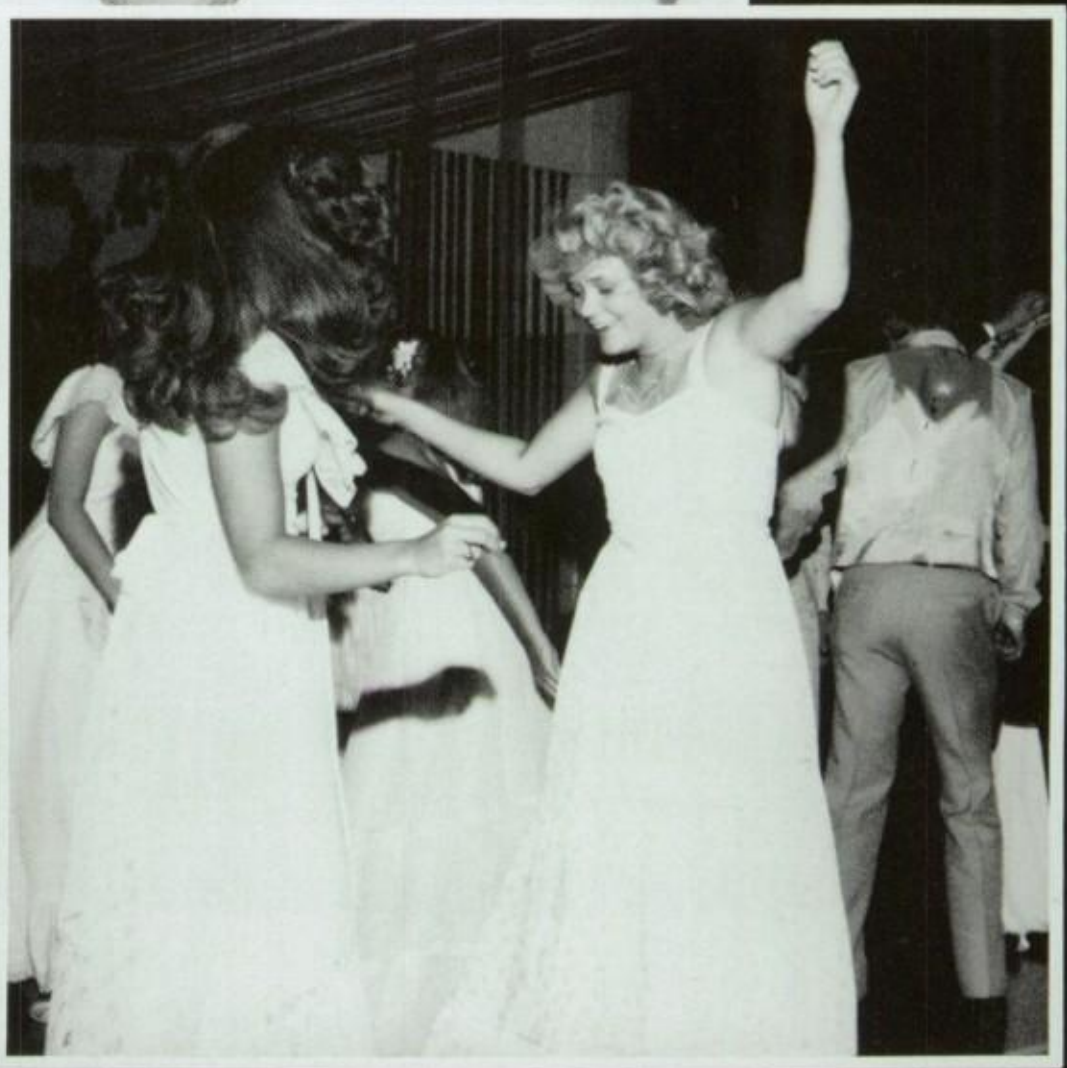
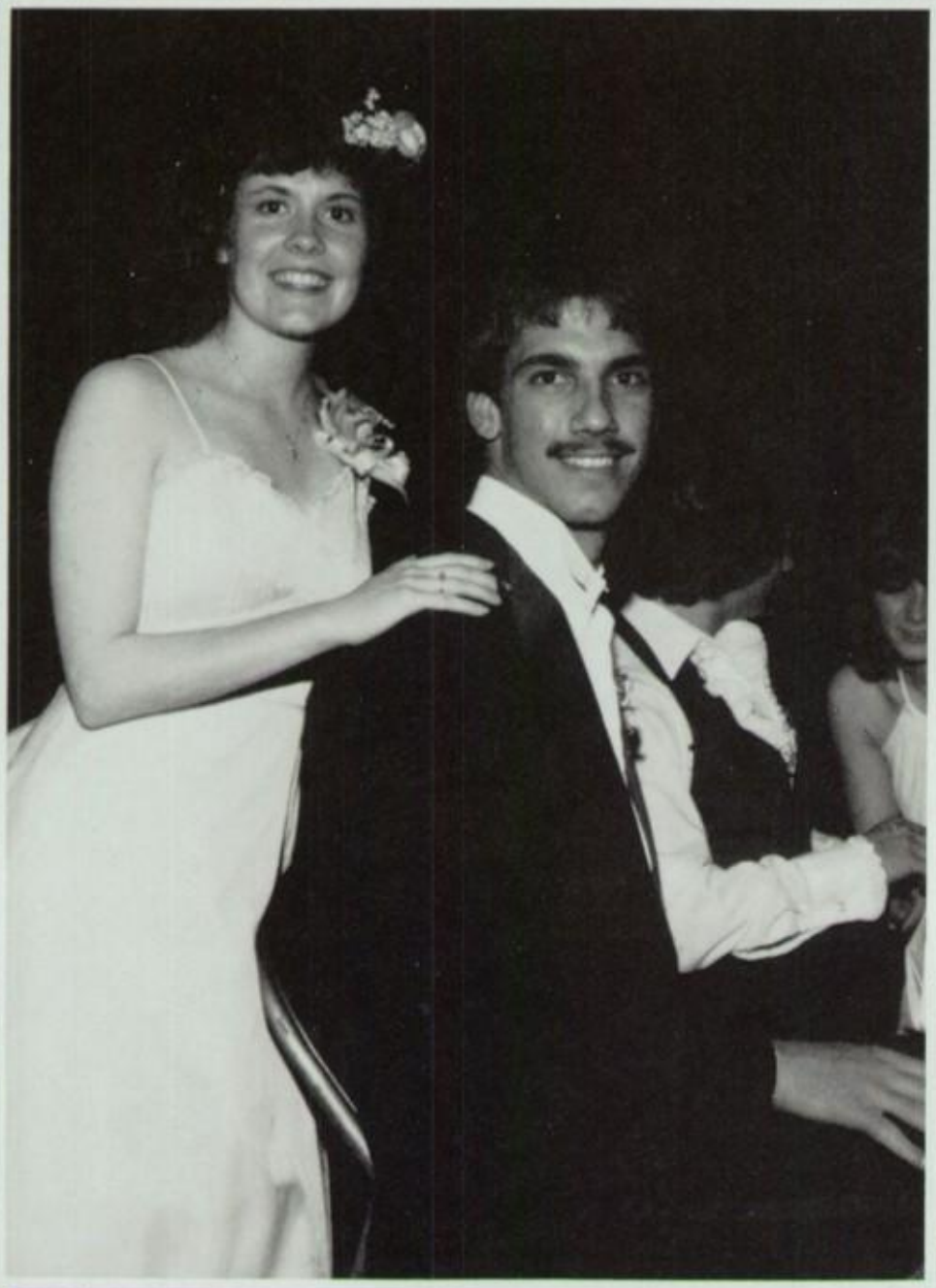
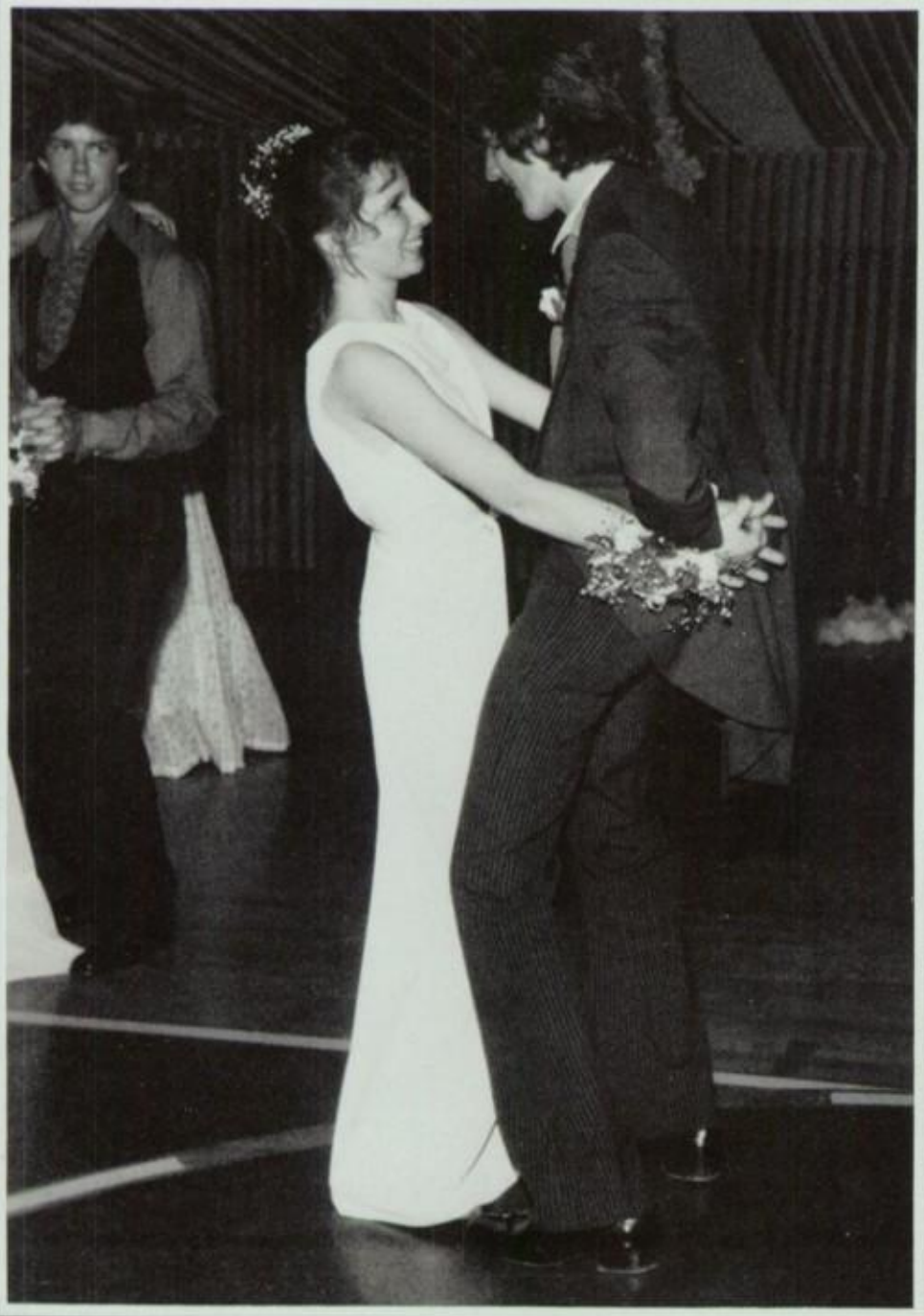
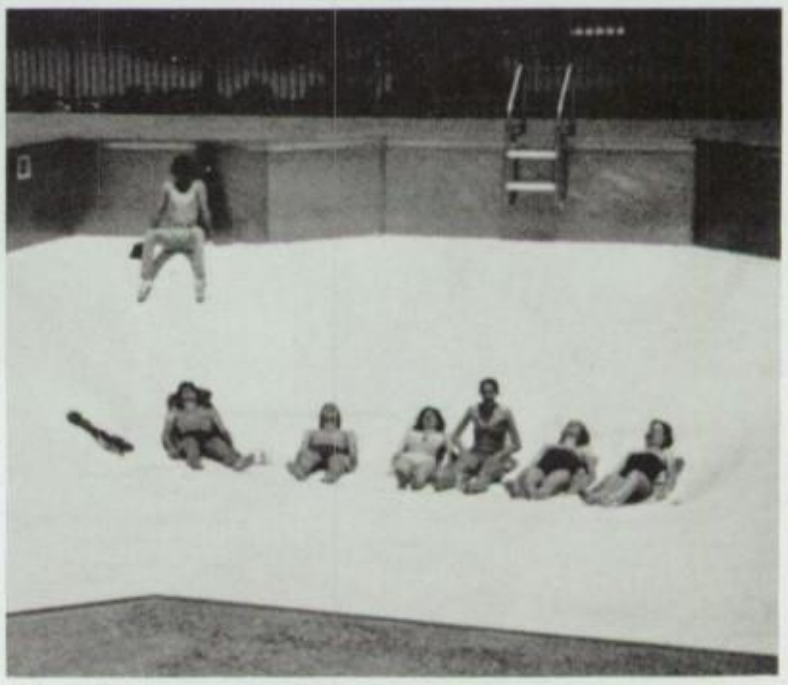
The Junior Class
of
Liberty-Benton High School
requests the honour
of your presence at the
Junior-Senior Prom
on Friday, May Fifteenth
nineteen hundred eighty-one
at eight o'clock in the evening
High School Gymnasium

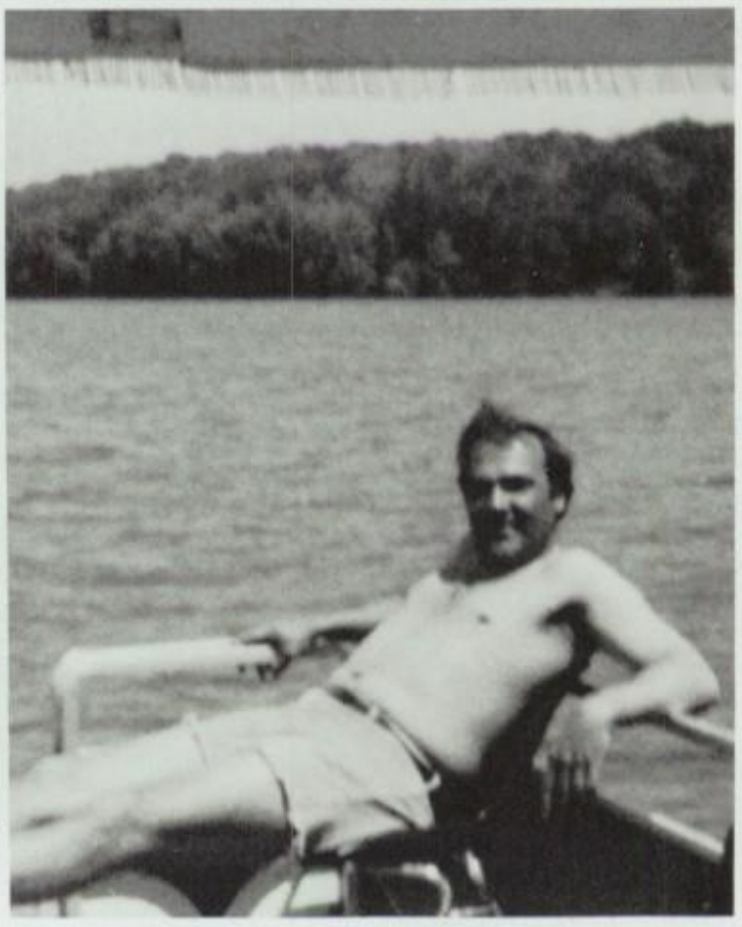






This year the Seniors took a class trip to Attwood Lodge. As can be seen by the photos, everyone thoroughly enjoyed himself. Among the activities planned were boating, swimming, sunbathing, golfing, and just plain loafing around. Thanks to the careful, but not too overly protective supervision of Mr. Smith, Mr. Miller, Mr. Mihalik, Mr. Butler and our chaperones, Mr. and Mrs. Cramer and Mr. and Mrs. Garner, we had a fantastic time!





PAM HAMMOND-PTA Scholarship

JUDY DOMMER-Board of Education Scholarship

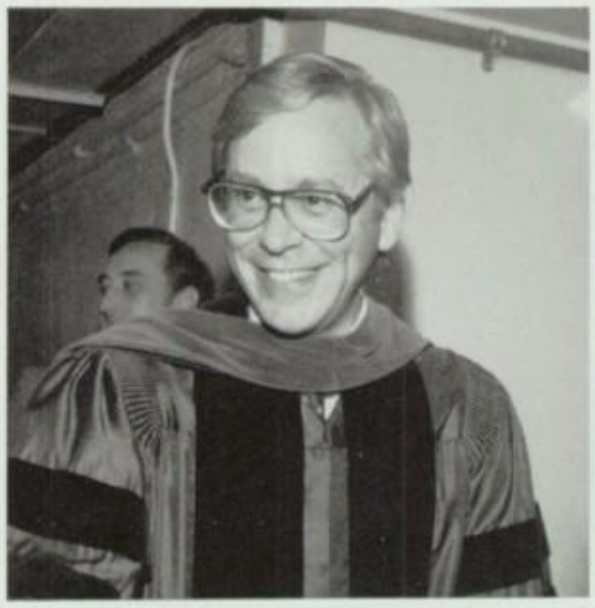
KAREN ELSEA
Salutatorian
Business and Professional Women's Scholarship
Findlay College Scholarship

JOHN SCHLOEMP
Dr. Thomas Mount-L-B Boosrers Scholarship,
Rose Hulman Scholarship

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

ANN BENSON
Mount Saint Josephs Scholarship
Ohio Board of Regents Scholarship

KIM CRAMER
Valedictorian
Marathon Scholarship
Bluffton College Scholarship



Dr. Pelowski
Speaker

Rob Allen
Vice-President-Invocation
Marathon Scholarship

Rev. Ludwick
Baccalaureate

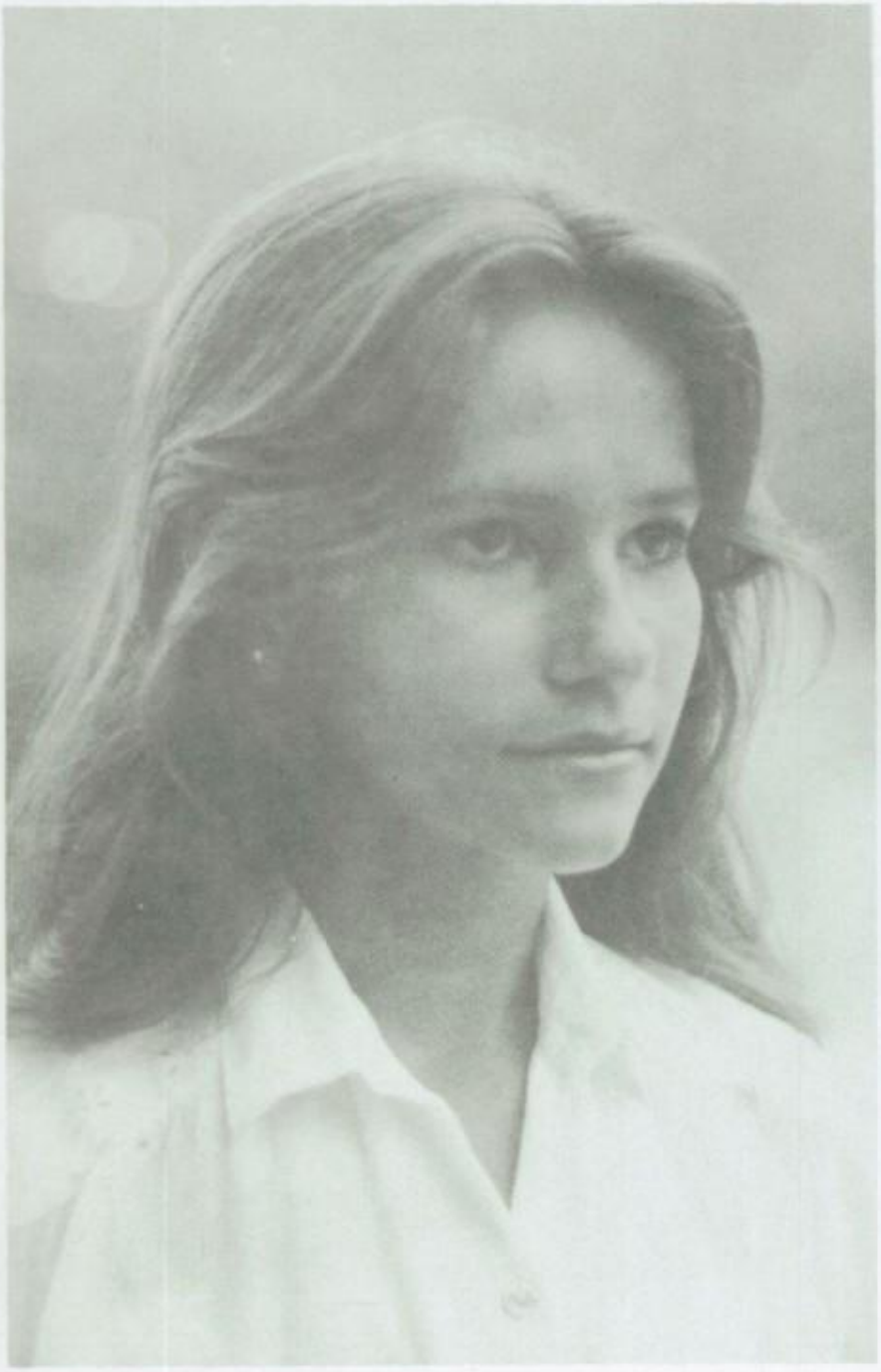
Junior Attendants
Rhonda DePuy
Kevin Niswander

Craig Bishop
President
Benediction

Processional
Mike Fields

"All in our places . . ."

SMILE-
IT'S
ALL
OVER!

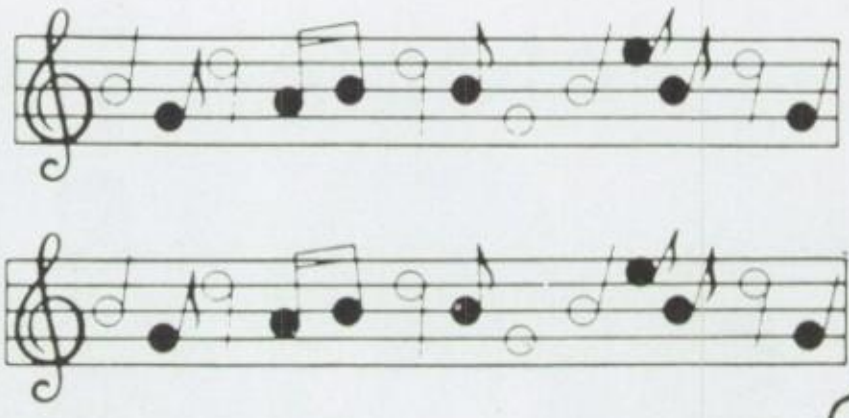


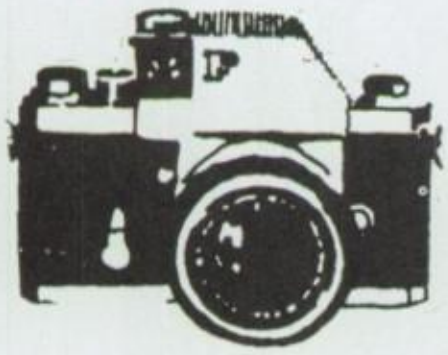
LUCIANA BARRETO PHEBO
"LUTI"

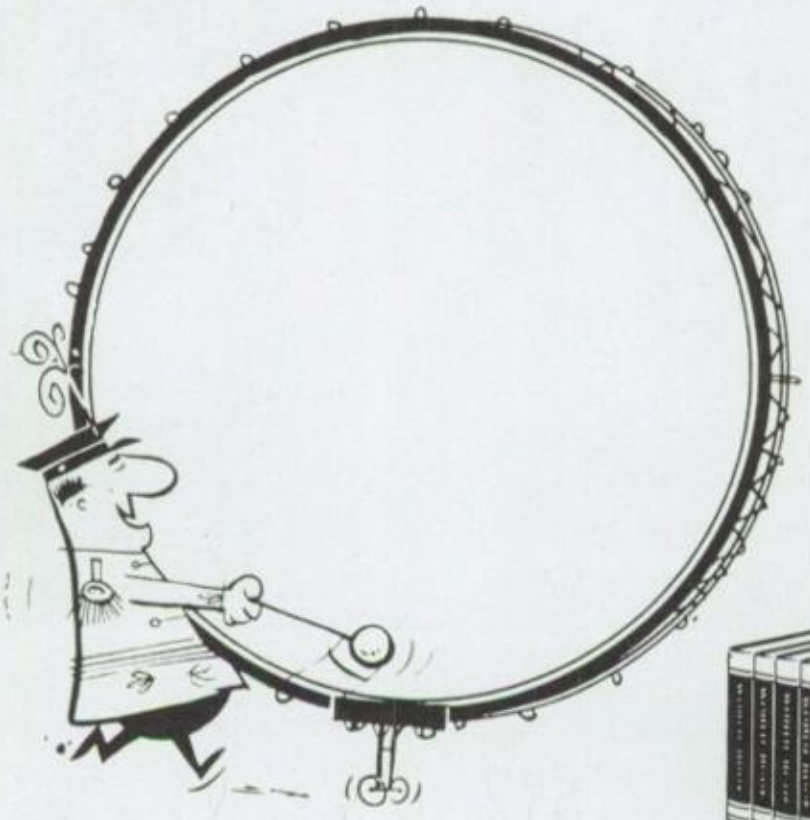
To all my friends from L.B., students & teachers, a little note from me just to remember these six months that we enjoyed together.

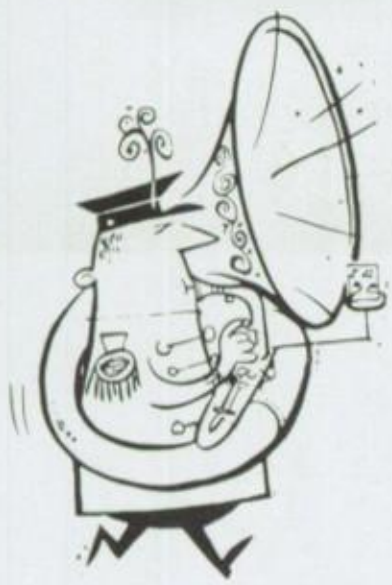
I won't never forget this experience

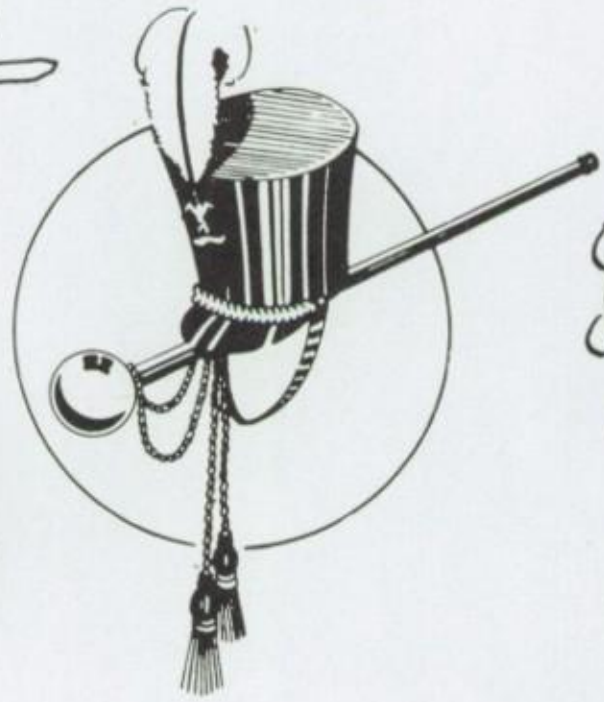
thanks a lot
Brazil,
Luti











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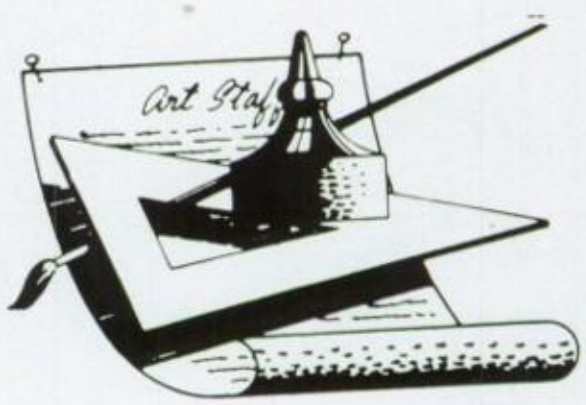

The making of an annual is a difficult and time consuming job, but thanks to a hard working staff we managed to survive! We hope you enjoy the "1981 Eagle" and the changes we have made in it.

Editor: Kim Cramer

OUR ANNUAL STAFF AT WORK.

Shopping for ads.

Rhonda and Steve show their super human strength.

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Starting a school newspaper . . . sign . . . Like most other newly undertaken projects, the making of the "Aquila" required a lot of time, effort, sweat, patience, and prayers! During the month of February, I was easily recognizable as the person stumbling through the halls pulling out my hair and bumping into foreign objects! All in all, I feel that the "Aquila" has gotten off to a terrific start in 1981. The success of the "Aquila" however has depended upon many different people. Miss Bogard has been the "backbone" of the operation. Her time and sacrifice have been greatly appreciated. I also owe a big thanks to my staff (For putting up with me). Although inexperienced, like myself, they have done a marvelous job. A special note of thanks goes also to our advertisers and to our printers, Gordon Hill and the *TV Times*. And to you, the student body and staff, I owe the biggest thanks. Without your support, the paper would have been a wasted effort. I hope that you will all continue to support the "Aquila" in future years as enthusiastically as you have in 1981. Thank you.

The Editor

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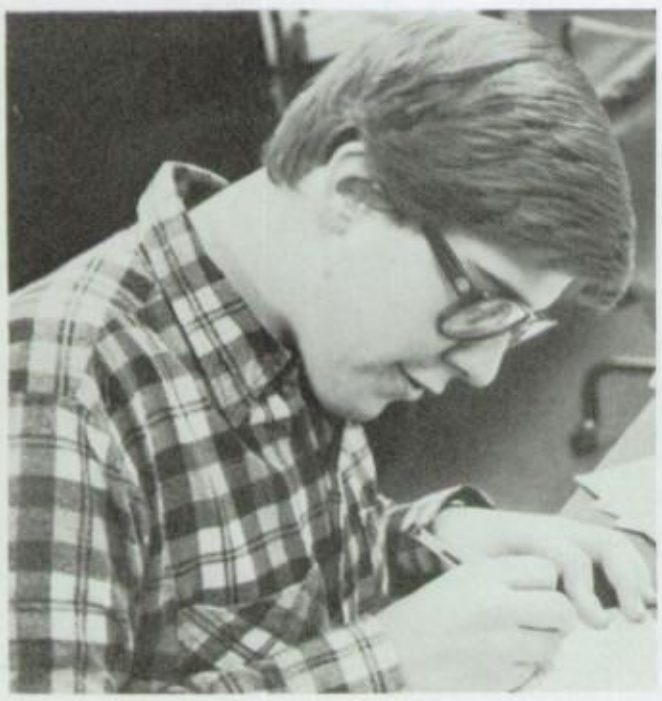

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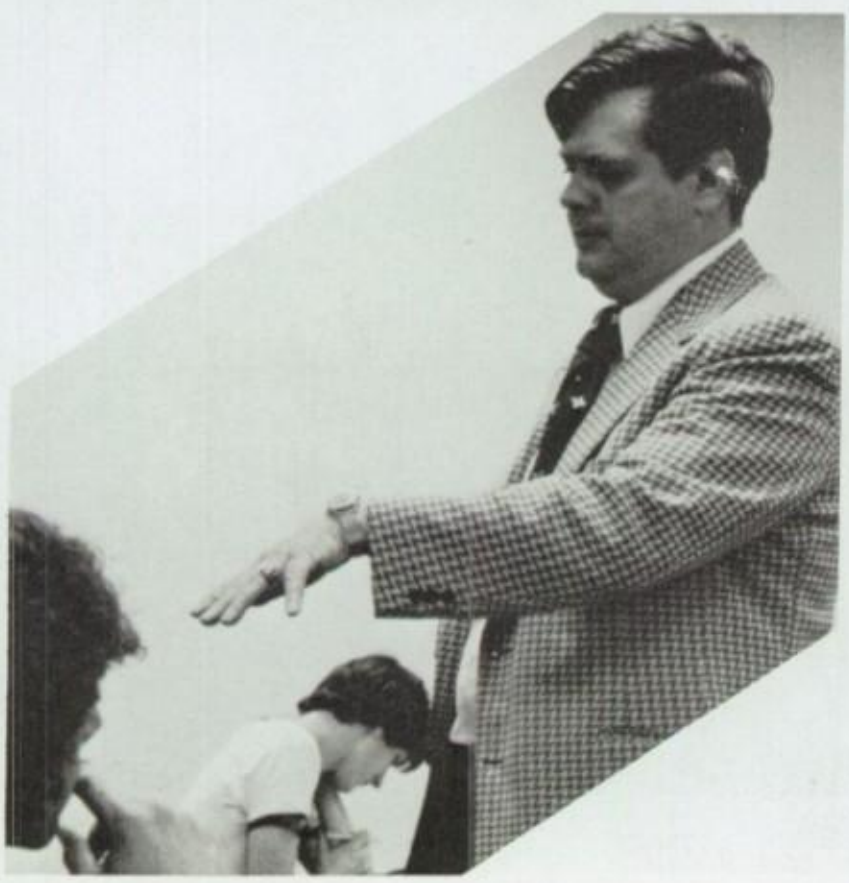

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1980 was another successful year for the "Eagle Marching Brass". We reached our goals of improving band spirit, pride, sound power and marching skills. The band students and Miss Swisher also made good music selections which ranged from pop tunes such as Knock on Wood, to the Classics and the New World Symphony.

GREAT JOB BAND!

Row 1: J. Flick, S. Garner, K. Cramer, Miss Swisher.
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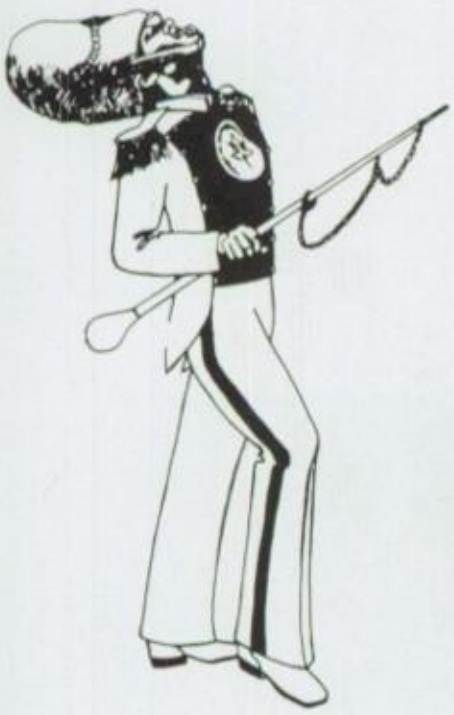
Row 3: L. Bakies, A. Benson, J. Dommer.

The band and Miss Swisher would like to take this opportunity to thank the Senior members of the band for their hard work and support during this year. These students have been a hard working and dedicated group.

Row 1: A. Anspach, B. Berhens, T. McCartney. Row 2: D. Fields, A. Perry. Row 3: C. Boney, P. Misamore.

Robin Housh-Field Director



Majorettes-Ann Pickens, Shannon Fry, Kathy Depiner, Amy Hills.

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Row 1: M. Keller, H. Neff, G. Richcreek, A. Hutson, J. Reasoner, B. McCleary, C. Burnette, Row 2: A. Fisher, P. Sheaer, S. Botkin, K. Patterson, A. Wolford, C. Karhoff, J. Lytle, B. Davis, Row 3: B. Weston, K. Corner, K. Barger, W. Powell, K. Walker. Not in picture: L. Teeple.

PEP BAND

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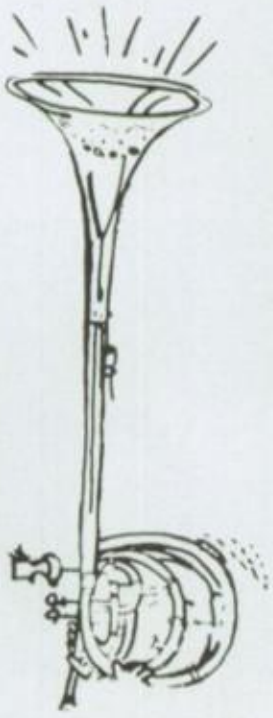

This year's Pep Band sounded super! They ranged in songs from "Hang on Sloopy" to the newer sound of "Knock on Wood;" which was one of the bands favorite songs to play. Also, this year the band added a special flare with their bright red sweaters with blue note emblems on their right side. It really made the band look as good as they sounded!

JUNIOR HIGH

Row 1: S. Burner, T. Deerwester, C. Billcheck, B. Dorman, J. Ridge, C. Deter, K. Lamb, B. Hughes, J. Adams, J. Meyers, B. Kennedy,
Row 2: K. Brand, M. Alexander, J. Brown, T. Oiler, M. Lamb, A. Anspach, A. Perry, B. Gaertner, M. Stockton, S. Blanchard, M. Burner, D. Weese, T. McCartney
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Row 4: J. CMcCarthey, W. Jones, J. Mannion, C. Ward, D. Schaffer, C. Williams, J. Kisseberth, S. Kluborg, P. Dean, T. Hissong, B. Inbody

OFFICERS

K. Brand, S. Stoltz, J. Adams, J. Ridge, B. Inbody

B. McDougall, D. Niswander, D. Kennedy, B. Brehens

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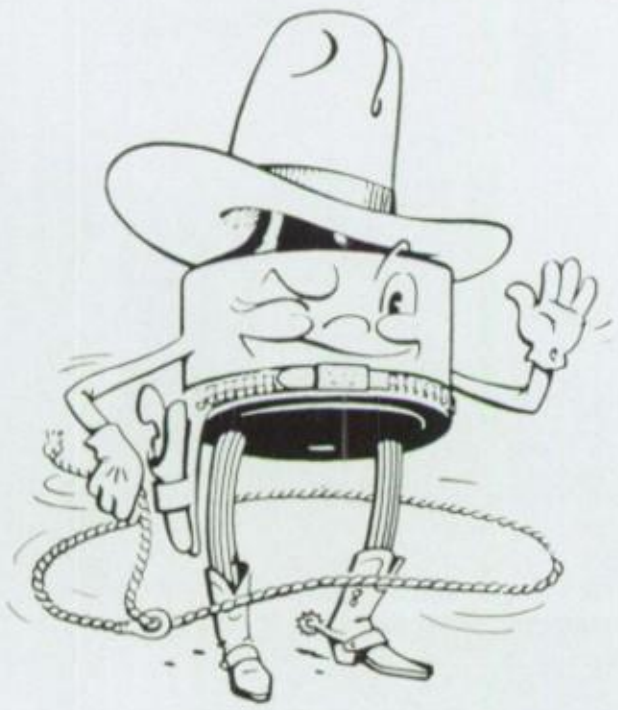

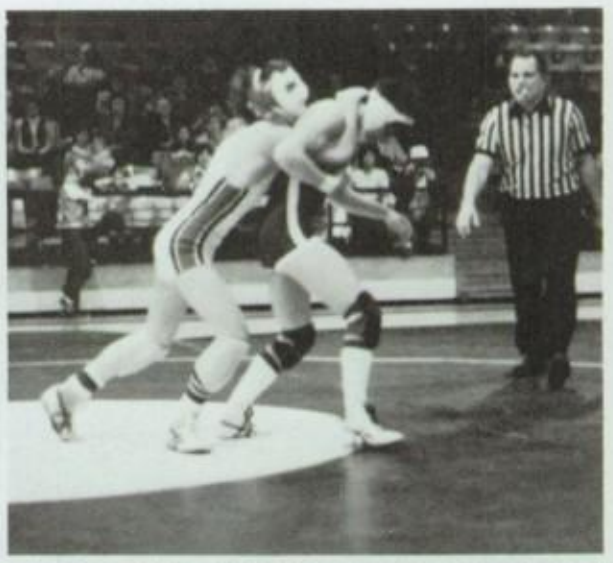

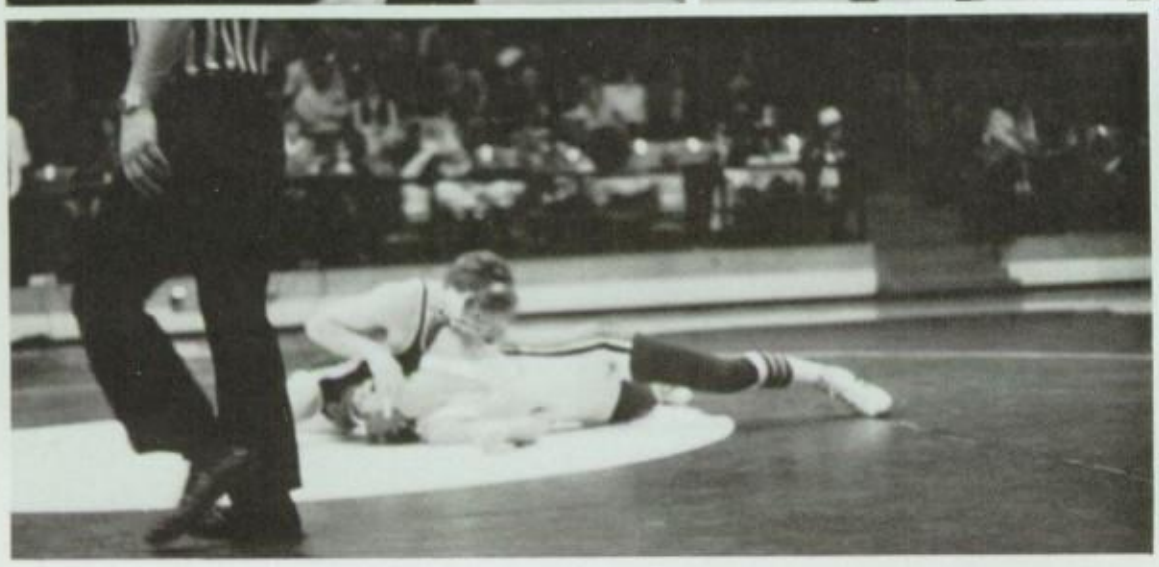

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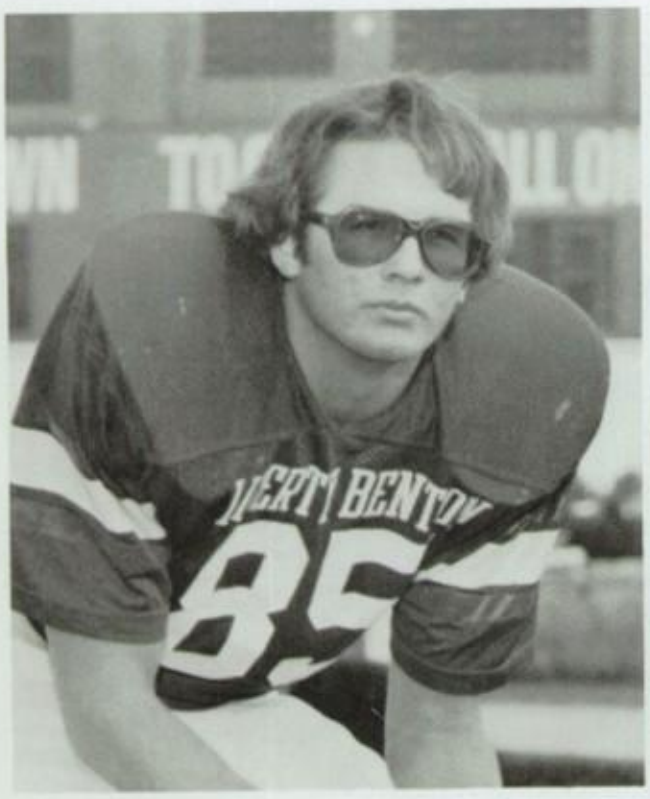


Don Ackerman

John Bowman

Wes Wells

SENIOR FOOTBALL

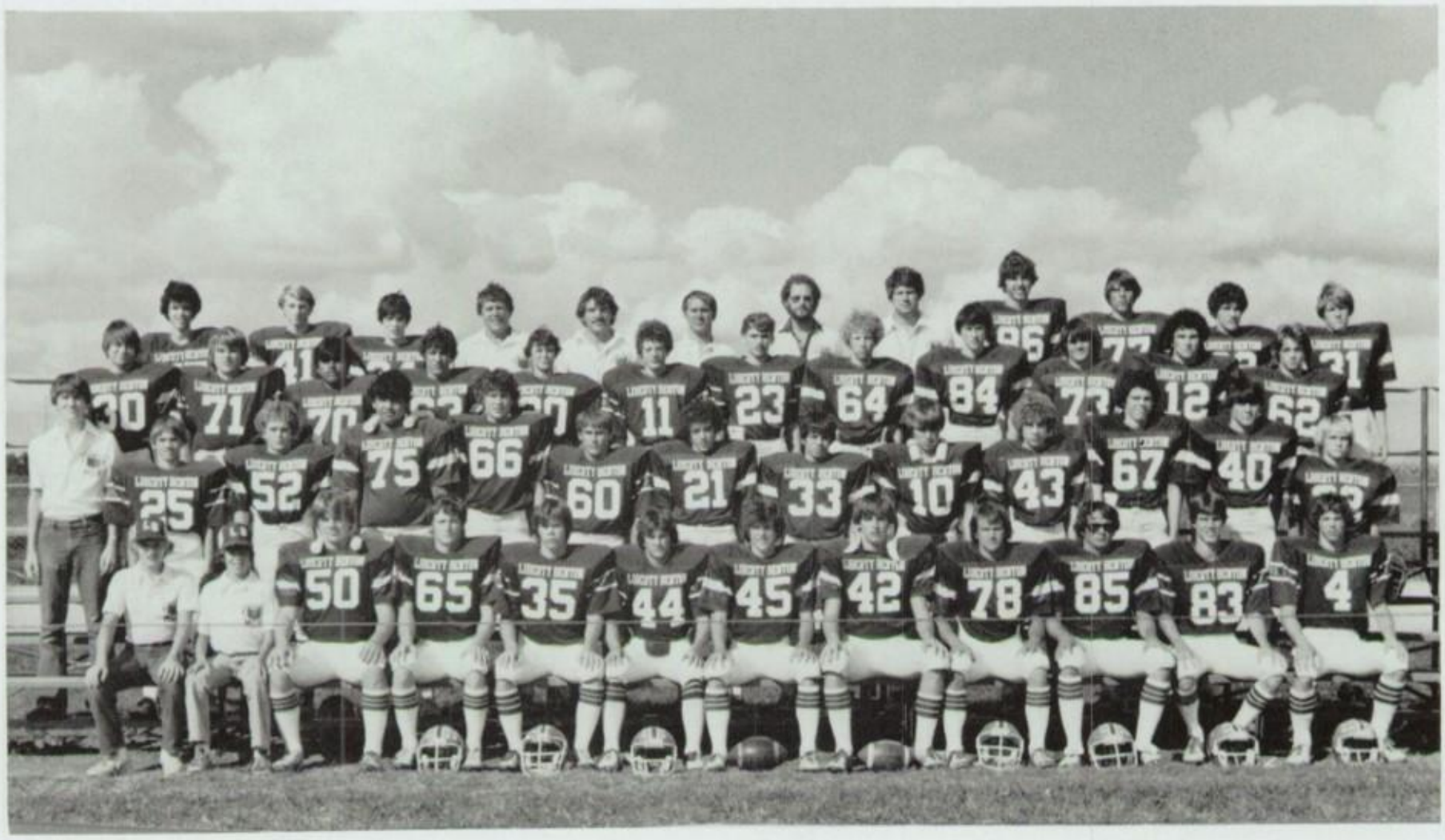
Even though the record shows we didn't win all the time, we managed to keep our heads high and tried to give the game our best. Many thanks to all our fans who came to the games and especially to our coaches who "put up" with us.

Charlie Rucker

Kent Benson

Mike Fields

EAGLE FOOTBALL



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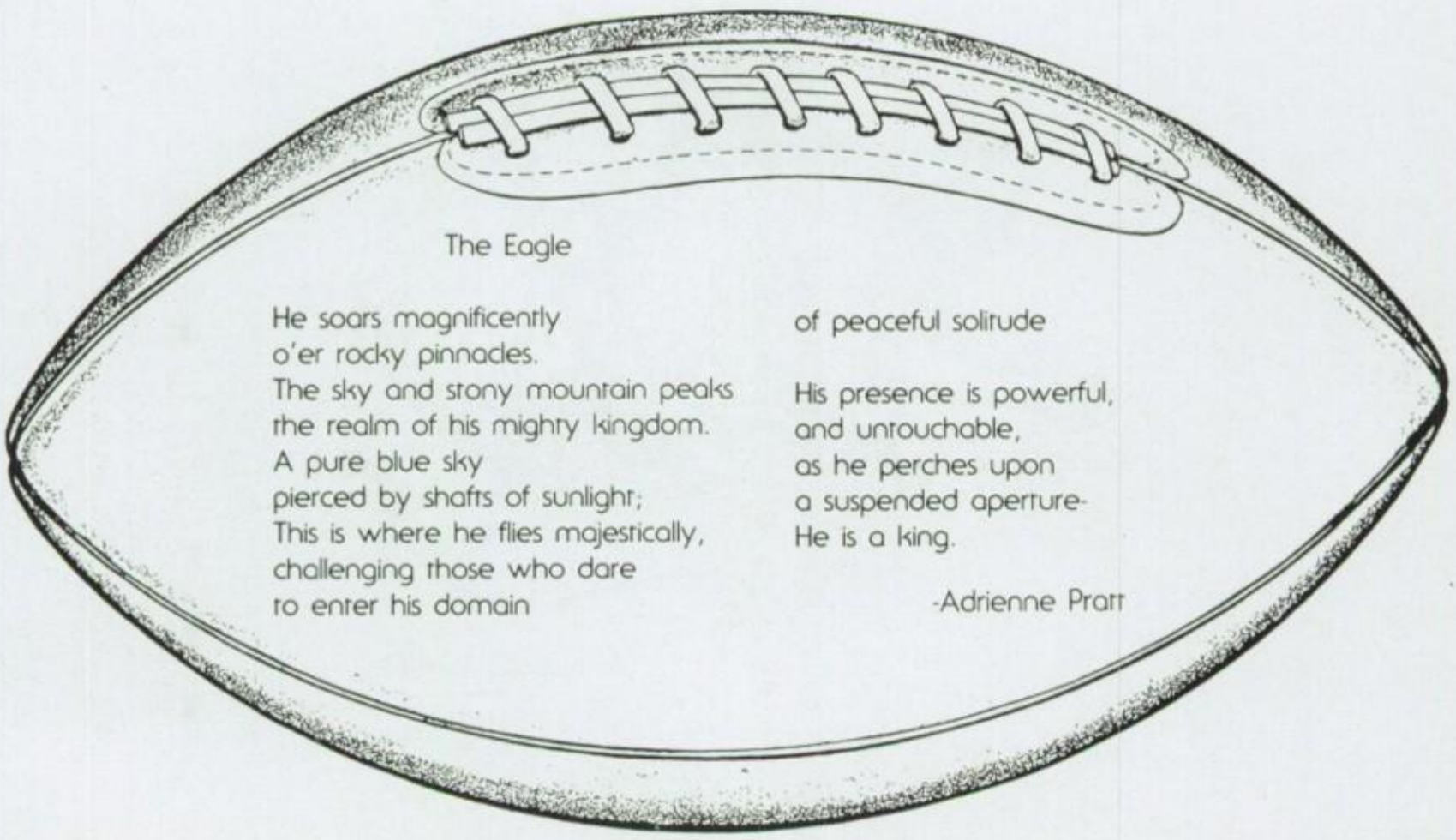

The Eagle

He soars magnificently
o'er rocky pinnacles.
The sky and stony mountain peaks
the realm of his mighty kingdom.
A pure blue sky
pierced by shafts of sunlight;
This is where he flies majestically,
challenging those who dare
to enter his domain
of peaceful solitude

His presence is powerful,
and untouchable,
as he perches upon
a suspended aperture-
He is a king.

-Adrienne Pratt

Row 1: T. Mirchell, T. Stoltz, R. Waldmen, K. Hiedlebargh, F. Jumper, T. Janes, K. Workmen, M. Schweitzer.
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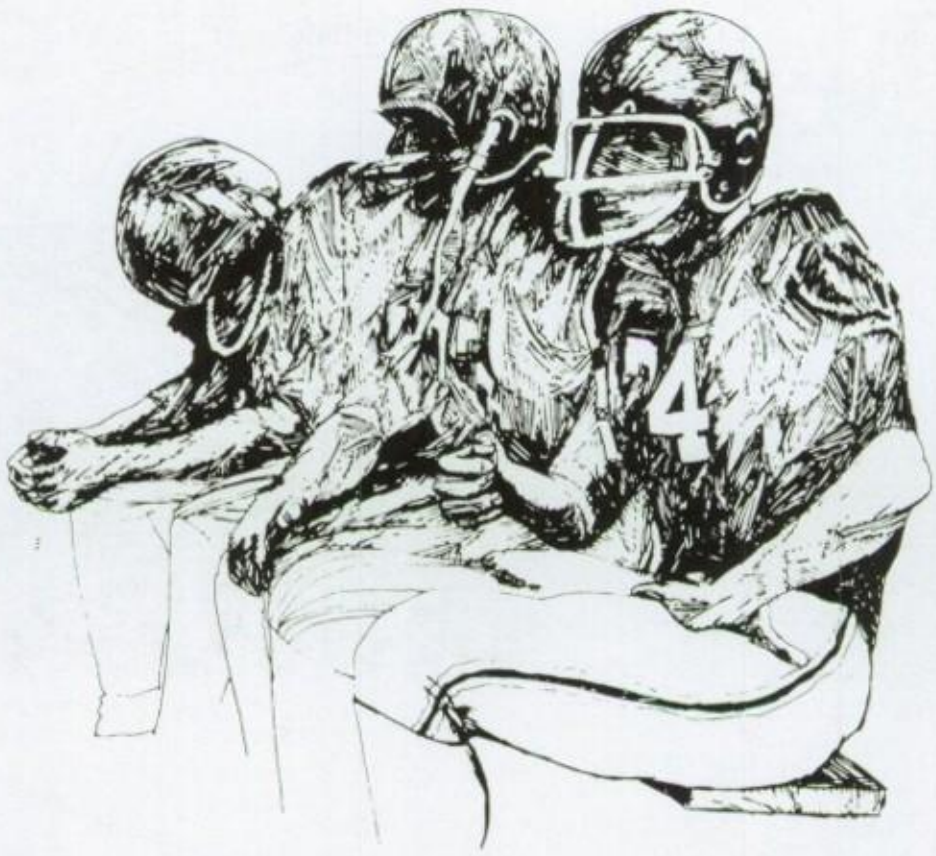

We brought Sheri to her feet

Elton John and his favorite call
"Net Liberty"

Substitution

Good Game

Krista and her glowing tennis shoe after a great kick!

"Substitute"
Krista! We told you not to kick the ball

All right you girls, now go in their and don't let "Elton" get you down

VARSITY

TOP

Coach Trame
Tammy Brown
Janet Meyer
Krista Weston
Rhonda DePuy
Jozette McCarthy

Barb Weston
Deb Fields
Susan Stillberger
Ann Elsea
Jackie Fields

Not Pictured
Shari Garner

BOTTOM

Coach Trame
Bobbi McDougall
Amy Kuhlman
Amy Light
Amy Schimmoeller
Deb Paxton
Susan Rucker

Barb Weston
Tammy England
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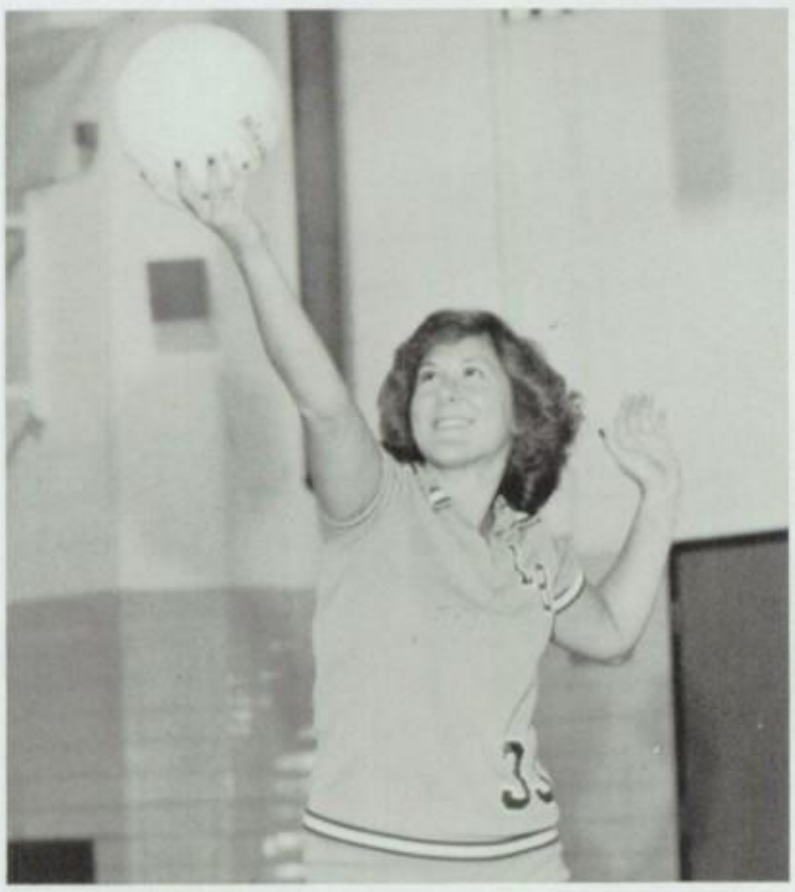


Sr. Janet Meyer

Betsy Gaertner-Junior

Rhonda DePuy-Junior

Jacquie Ridge
Sophomore

Kathy Helms-Sophomore

Amy Beck-Junior

Ann Elsea-Junior

"Jill"

"Lisa"

RESERVE CHEERLEADERS

"Patty"

Front: Rosemarie Amatrano
Back L-R: Jill Krauss, Patty Wagner, Lisa Weston, Marcie Kline, Jenny Payne

"Ro"

"Marcy"

"Jenny"

JUNIOR HIGH CHEERLEADERS

FRESHMAN

Row 1: W. Cramer, V. Smith
Row 2: M. Burner, A. Pickens
Row 3: S. Arnold, L. Perrys

EIGHTH

Row 1: S. Stoltz, B. Gaertner, D. Horne
Row 2: A. Anspach, D. Fields, L. Lazenby

SEVENTH

Row 1: J. Arras
Row 2: J. Meyers, S. Blanchard
Row 3: J. Kisseberth, T. Hissong, S. Kluborg

Excitement!!

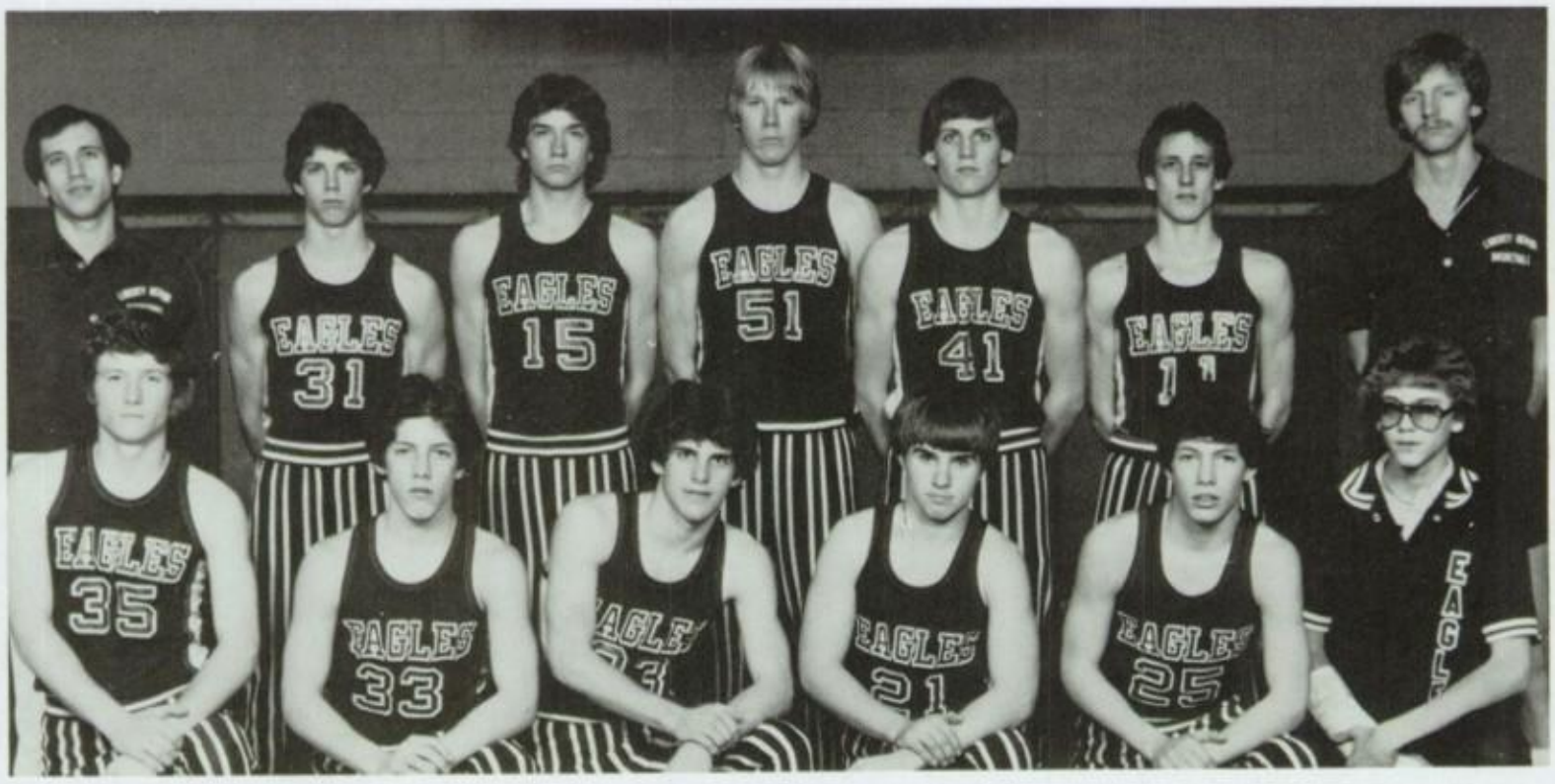
B.V.C. CHAMPS

our only senior
Krista Wesron

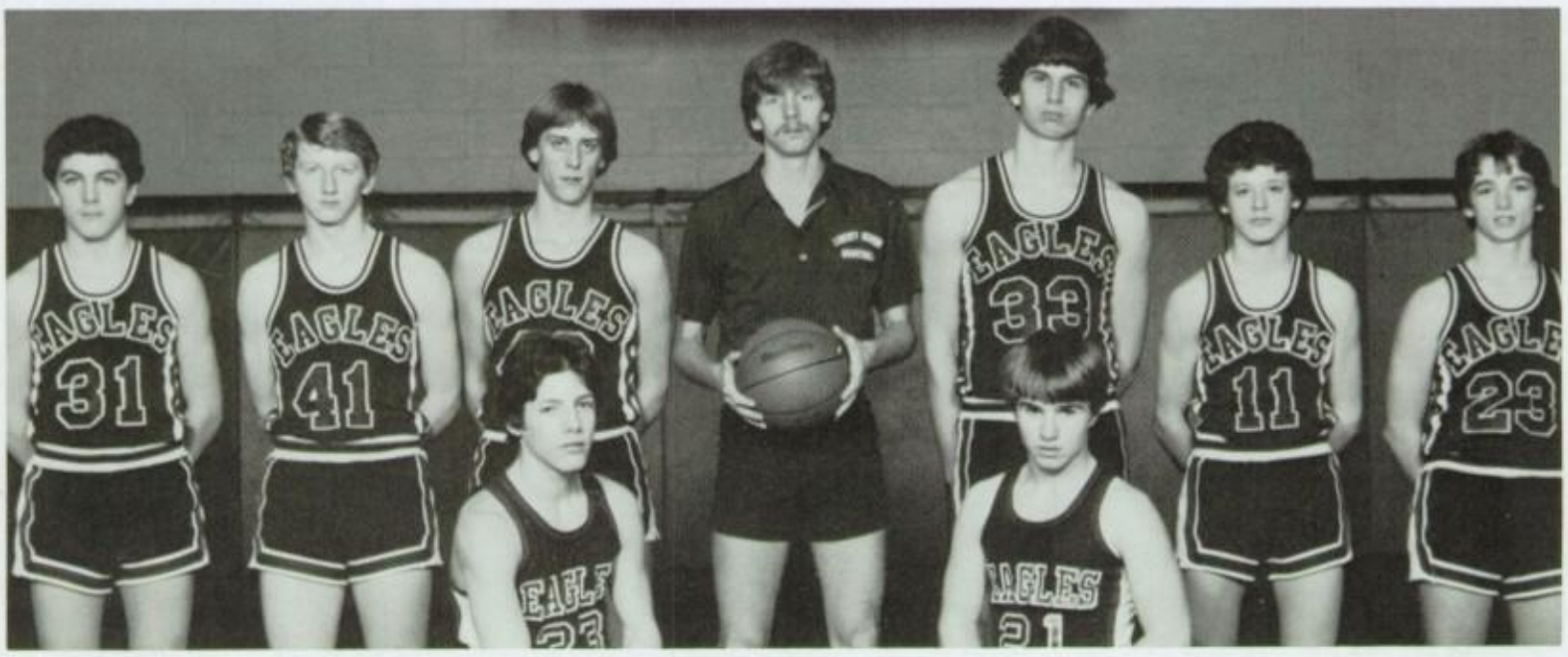
TOP
Row 1: B. Gaertner, M. Kline, D. Fields, A. Elsea, J. Fields.
Row 2: Coach Trame, J. Ridge, K. Weston, A. Light, T. Brown, J. Krauss, W. Cramer.

BOTTOM
Row 1: B. Vanee, G. Peggs, S. Rucker, C. Helms.
Row 2: W. Cramer, K. Holdman, J. Payne, L. Franks, A. Schimmoelor, T. Capes, Coach Kuhlman.

VARSITY RESERVE

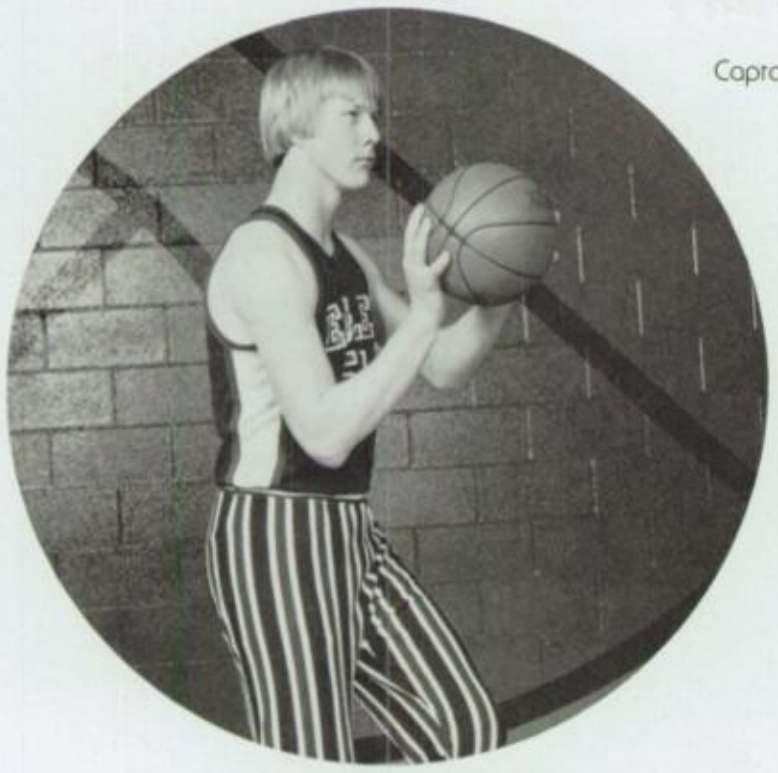


Row 1: R. Williams, D. Mallett, K. Benson, S. Kingsley, C. Mallett, Manager S. Botkin. Row 2: Coach Elbin, J. Huffman, M. Miles, J. Schloemp, J. Bowman, S. Schweitzer, Coach Brookes.



Row 1: D. Mallett, S. Kingsley. Row 2: D. Freeland, M. Williams, R. Lucus, Coach Brookes, M. Dykes, B. Swisher, J. Flick.

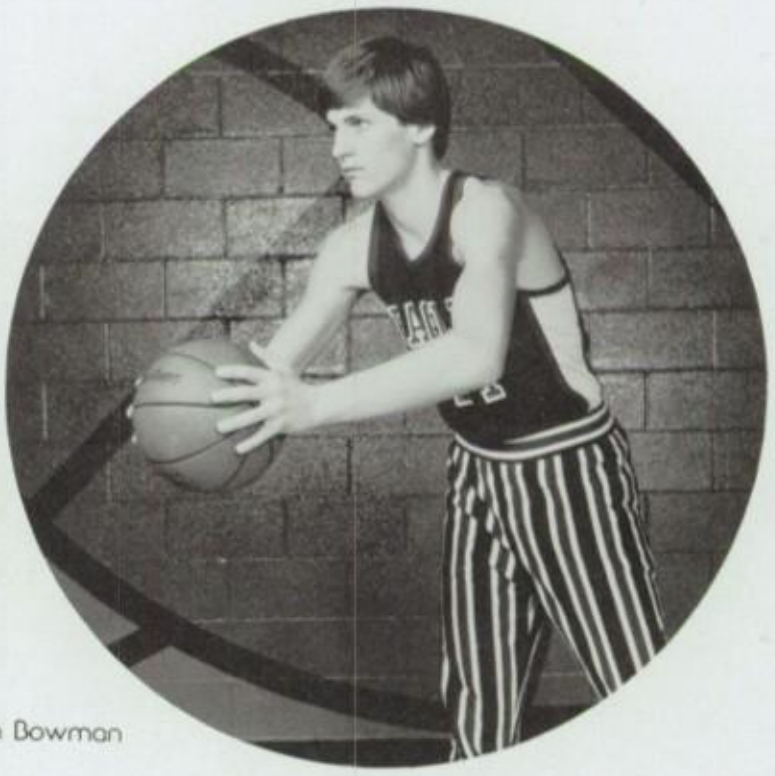
SENIOR BASKETBALL



Captain-John Schloemp

Kent Benson

Steve Schweitzer



John Bowman

The Liberty-Benton Basketball squad was characterized by their rough times, hard luck, and an unwillingness to give in to their opponents.

The rough times they overcame was a mid-season 8-game losing streak. The hard luck being some key injuries and illnesses, 5 2-point or overtime losses, and several leads lost in the final quarter of play. But the team had superior leadership in its seniors, and kept on working to achieve any success it could. In the end, the team established a modest 3-game win streak, and a rare tournament victory in the sectionals.

We would like to thank the seniors that we are losing for not giving up, and we wish them well in future endeavors. We hope they will come back to see the underclassmen enjoy their success that had it's roots in these seniors last season.

SENIORS

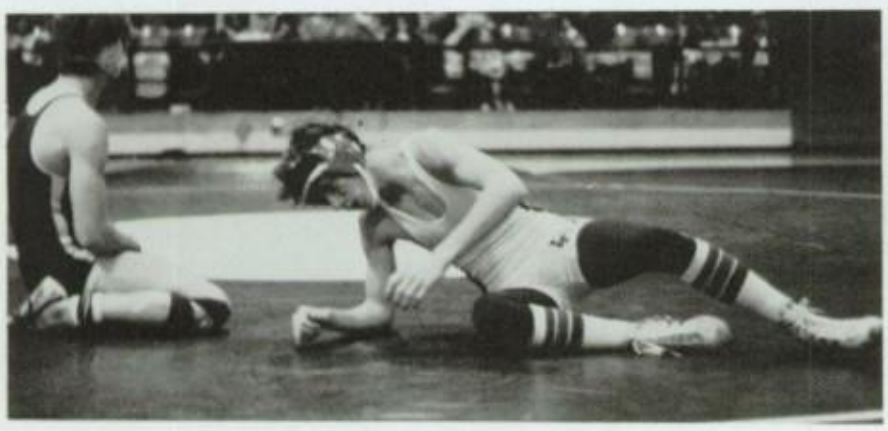
W. Wells

WRESTLING

D. Fry

MATMAIDS

Row 1: D. Niswander, S. Arnold. Row 2: C. Baker, P. Baney.

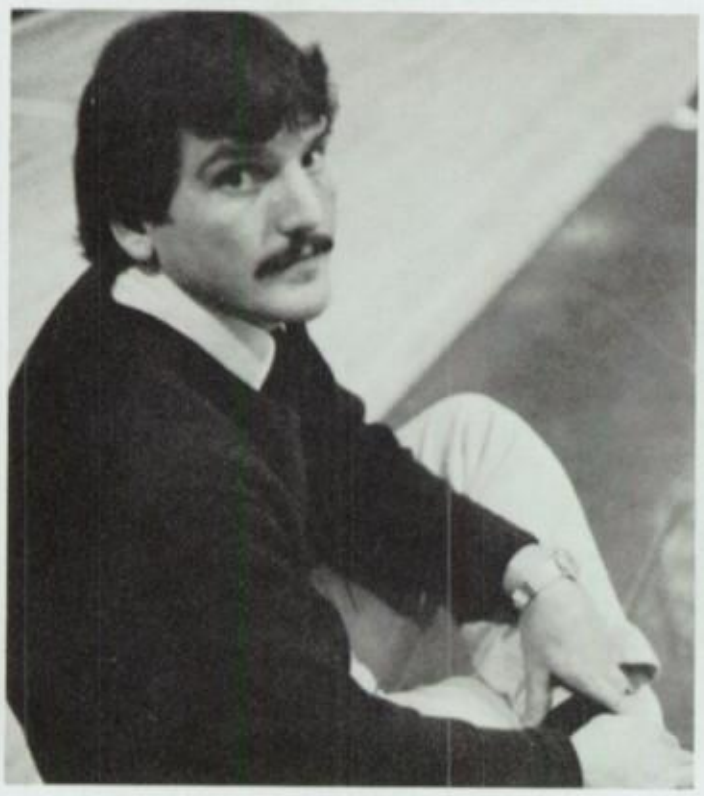


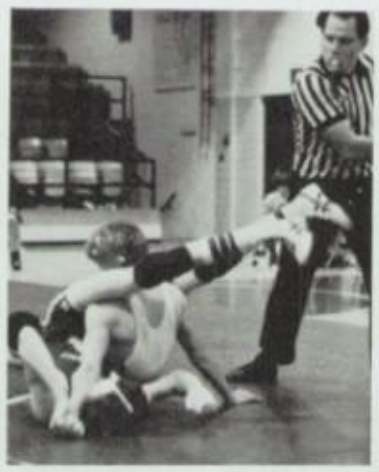
Oh! You wouldn't dare?

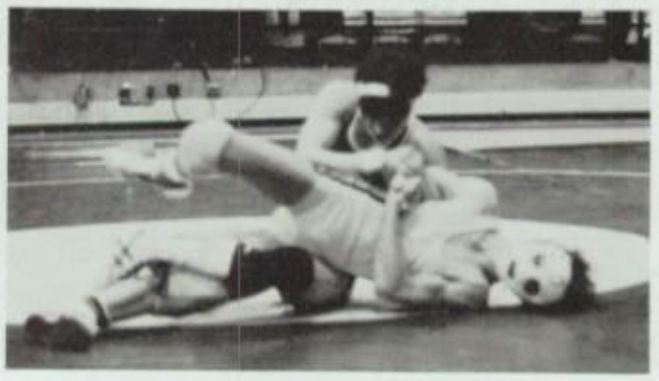
Wanna pick a fight?

EAGLE GRAPPLERS

Row 1: B. Wittenmyer, B. Martin, M. Spong, C. Wagner, M. Fuller. Row 2: S. Sellers, W. Barger, J. Bowser, D. Fry, J. Frey, M. Benson, T. Fuller. Row 3: Coach Leader, B. Arnold, B. Swinehart, W. Wells, B. Walker, J. Chapin, J. Cook, W. Wells, Coach Leader.



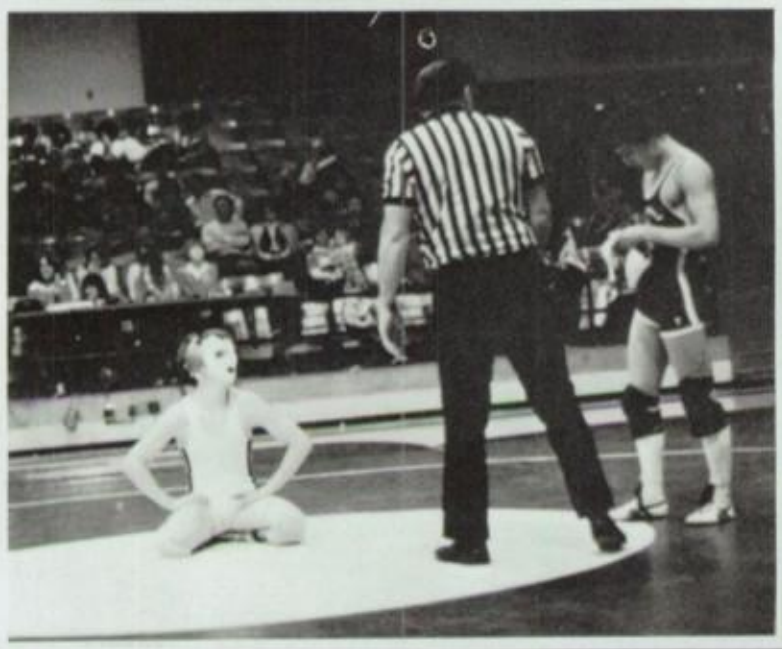


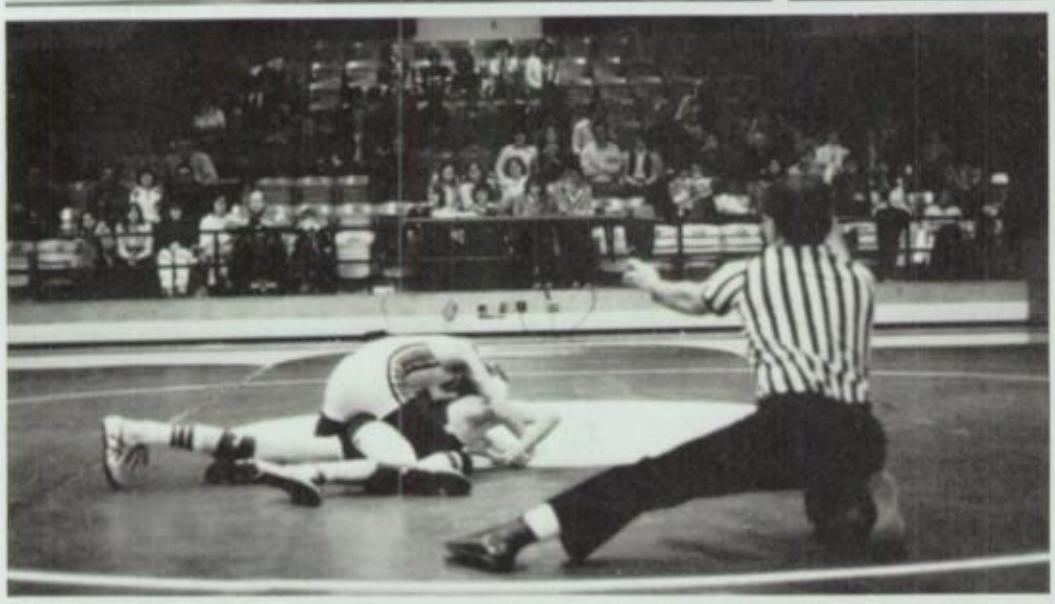


Row 1: C. Morrow, C. Osborn, T. Burner, M. Woolley, S. Knapp, M. Hartman. Row 2: B. Startcher, L. Hills, M. Richberg, Coach Lieb, R. Housh, C. Bell, R. Burner.

Row 1: M. Schweitzer, P. Firzgerald, K. Brand, D. Lucus, T. Althaus, E. Kern, D. Lucus, Row 2: Coach England, B. Wittenmyer, J. Ridge, M. Hartman, M. Howard, S. Botkin, D. Brown, R. Waldman, T. Stolts.

M. Mallerr, D. Shafer, J. Schloemp, B. Bell, M. LaRue, C. McCarthy, T. Cramer, K. Anspach, Coach Wagner.





BASEBALL SECTIONAL CHAMPS

Row 1: W. Barger, J. Frey, K. Cavin, M. Benson, B. Swisher
Row 2: Coach Mihalik, B. Karcher, J. Flick, T. Cramer, W. Wells, S. Schweitzer
Row 3: R. Lucas, K. Benson, G. DeThomas, M. Willadsen, J. Janes, M. Fields

SENIOR BASEBALL

Gary DeThomas

Mike Fields

Kent Benson

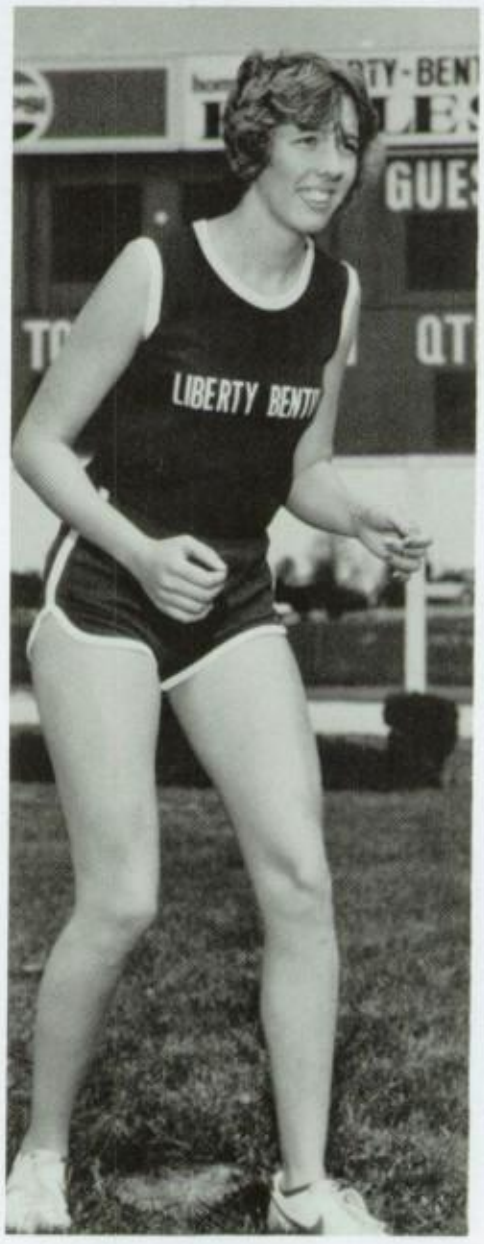
Jim Janes

Steve Schweitzer

TRACK

This years girl's track team finished a season by finishing sixth in the B.V.C. The sectional meet proved to be profitable for two of the track members. Two girls went on to districts, Ann Elsea and Marcy Kline. Ann went on for the 400 meters and long jump. Marcy went on for the 200 meters. Many records were broken and rebroken. The relay teams for the most part will be the strength of next years team which is losing only one senior, Janet Meyer. We hope to see a powerful team next year which can come away with a B.V.C. title to take away Arcadia's winning streak.

Senior-
Janet Meyer



TRACK 1981

Row 1: J. Ridge, M. Kline, L. Franks, C. Wittenberg, A. Elsea
Row 2: P. Baney, K. Holdman, A. Light, A. Beck, T. Capes
Row 3: T. England, J. Meyer, P. Wagner, J. Krauss, Coach Kuhlman

SENIOR BOYS TRACK

John Schloemp

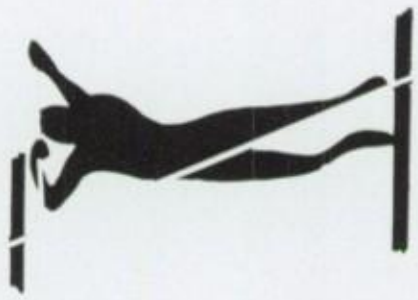
Jeff Holdman

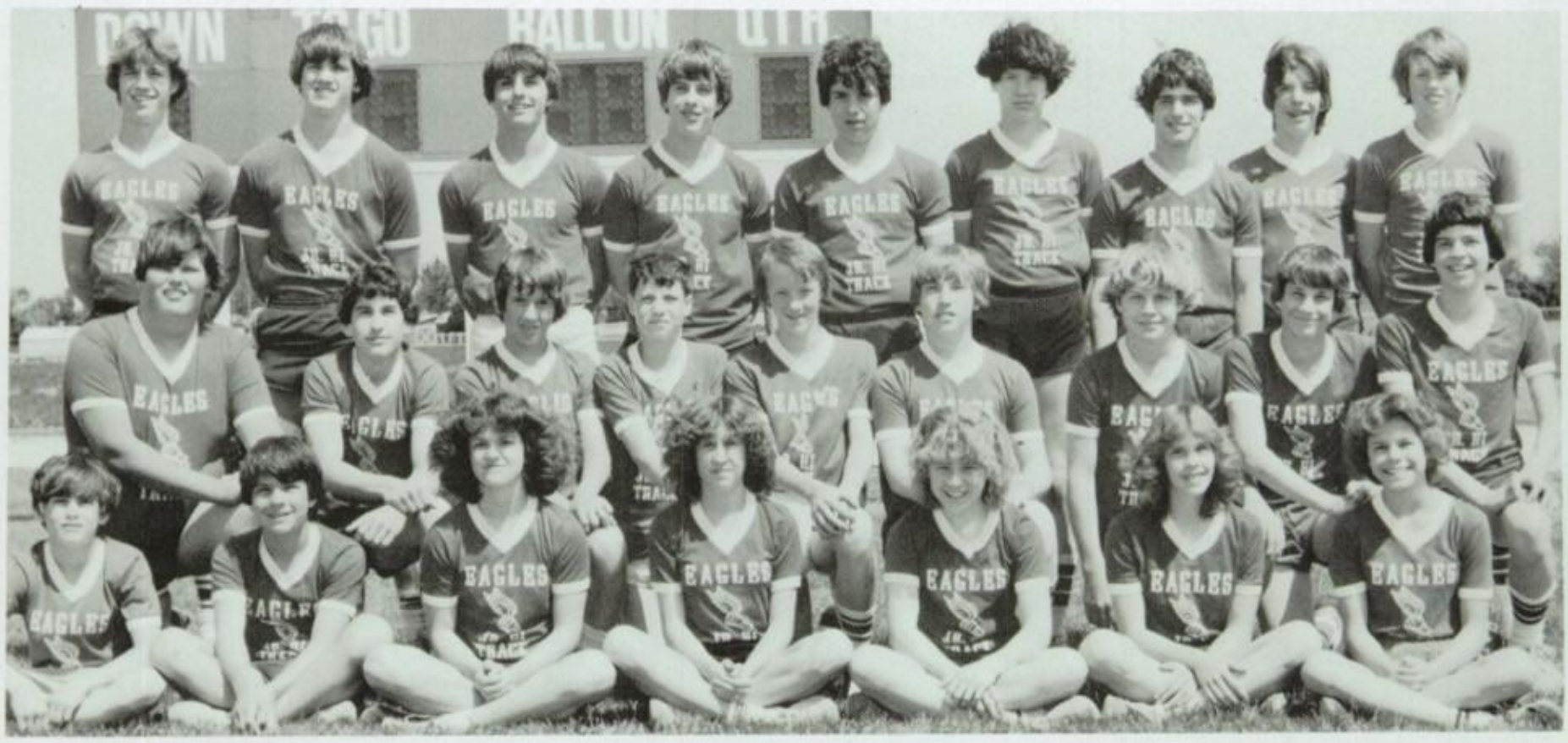
Wes Wells

Steve Schweitzer

BLANCHARD VALLEY CONFERENCE CHAMPIONS!

Row 1: G. Williams, B. Martin, M. Spong, J. Saums
Row 2: D. Freeland, S. Schweitzer, R. Ream, W. Wells, J. Huffman, J. Chapin, J. Hanna
Row 3: Coach Wagner, K. Benson, T. Blunk, J. Schloemp, J. Holdman, J. Schloemp, M. Williams, Coach Darnall





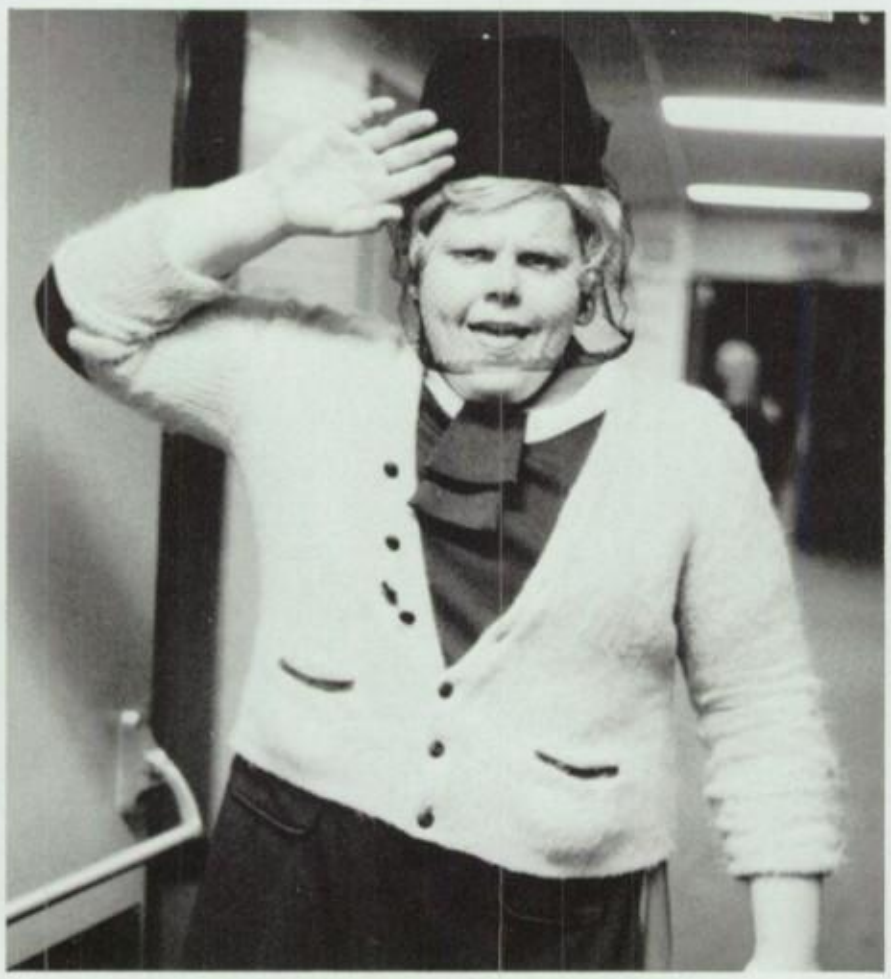
Row 1: C. Chiow, B. Wittenmyer, D. Fields, D. Horne, C. Williams, M. Knowlton, C. LaRoche. Row 2: D. Beck, C. Morrow, M. Hartman, S. Kanpp, B. Starrcher, E. Kern, S. Brannan, M. Schweitzer, D. Marevia. Row 3: M. Hartman, M. Howard, D. Wittenmyer, D. Brown, J. Ridge, C. Bell, K. Heidlebaugh, P. Fitzgerald, R. Waldman.

On April 3 and 4, at 8:00 p.m., the Liberty-Benton Drama Club presented *Come Blow Your Horn*. This year's production was a zaney 3-act comedy by Neil Simon.

One thing quickly lead to another in this fast-paced and hilarious play which was full of surprises right to the end.

The play was under the direction of Mr. John Lewis. The Student Director was Sherri Garner and the Student Producer was Tonia Palmer. The cast included Wes Wells (Alan Baker), Troy Fuller (Buddy Baker), Cathy Wittenberg (Peggy), Ann Benson (Connie Dayton), Doug Schumacher (Mr. Baker), Shelli Garner (Mrs. Baker), and Tom Blunk (Aunt Gussie).

As a result of much time and effort by the cast and crew, the play was a success.



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Your ideals grant you respect
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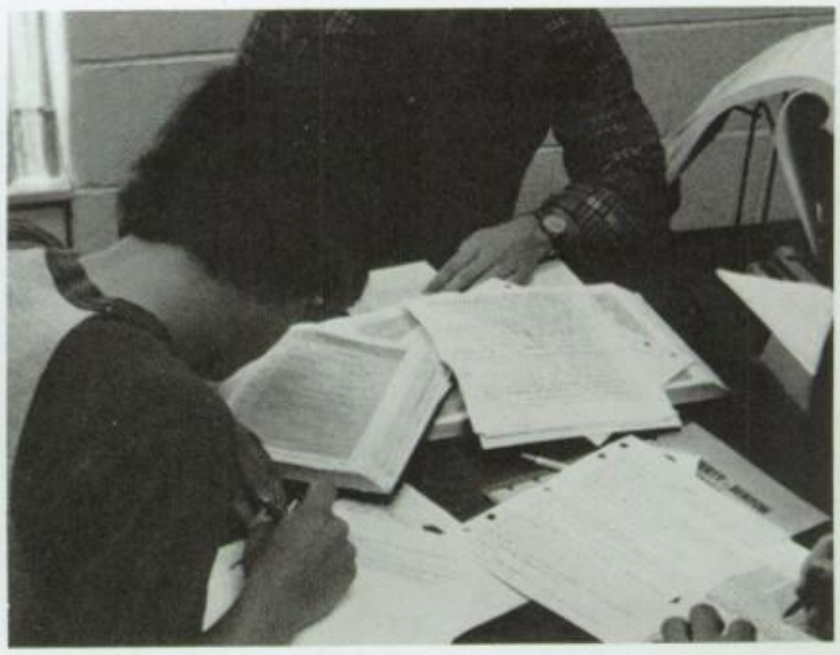
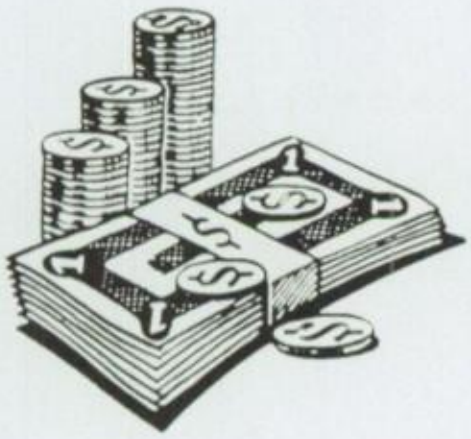
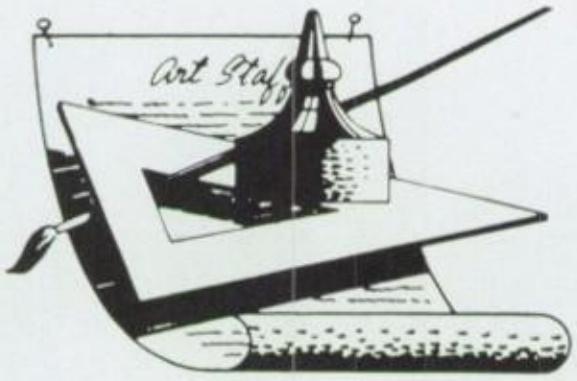
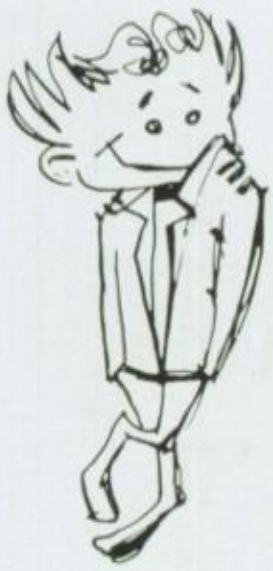








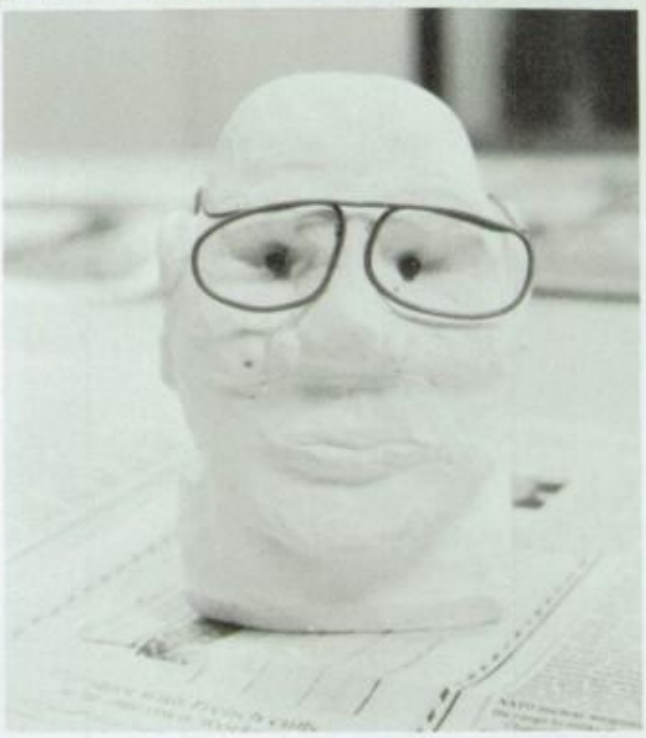
STUDENT LIFE

"Memories . . . Sweet Memories"

Memories to look back on
Memories to be shared
Moments to hang on to
While they are still there

Memories to be cherished
However many, or few
They happened, they are there
They are memories of you

Memories . . . sweet memories
To remember when you're feeling down
Memories keep going
Won't you please stick around



Thirty students from Liberty-Benton Industrial Arts and Vo-Ag Shops took projects to Columbus for individual and group judging. They took fourth place among thirty-seven booth entrants and seventy-eight individual school entries. Thirty-one meritous awards were given to L-B's projects. Items entered included a range from grandfather's clock to black and white photographs. Other projects entered were: roll top desk, lamps, silk-screened comic-strip heroes, wall clocks, fern stands, electronic projects, and sandblasting art.

After competing in Columbus an exhibit was placed in the Blanchard Valley Store and was judged. Craig Bishop, Steve Davis, and Todd Cramer each place first, second, and third respectively. Congratulations to these boys, and the industrial arts and Vo-Ag departments!

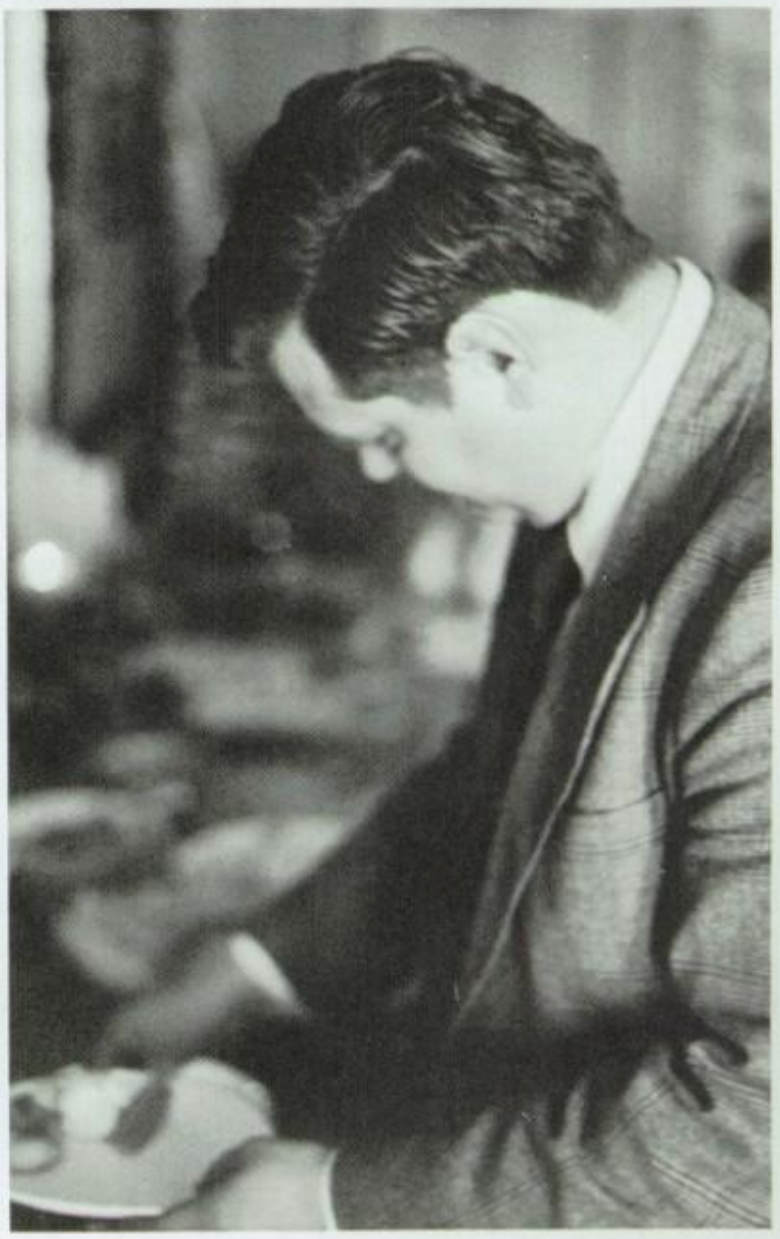
A HUMOROUS PICTURE OF LUNCHTIME

The buzzer sounds and the race begins. Around turn one is the freshmen class. Quickly catching up to them are the sophomores. But wait! The juniors and seniors have now caught up to the pack at turn two. This is where the trouble begins. One of the racers from the sophomore class has spun out and has hit the wall. While spinning across the track, the sophomore has taken a couple of seniors with him. This is too bad because the seniors have the stronger bodies and can take more abuse. As for the sophomore, he will probably be in no condition to continue with the race.

While resuming the race, the competitors notice that the yellow flag has been waved. Yes, up ahead they can see the pace car, a small, compact-type vehicle with dark hair and a formal paint job. They now slow down after he sounds his horn and pulls a few people over for a pit stop. Needless to say he will probably rotate their tires and refuel them for tomorrow's race.

After the pace car is out of the way, the race resumes. We are now nearing the home stretch. All people now jockey for position. Once the last corner is rounded, total acceleration is the key. The smaller vehicles have the quick acceleration advantage and can take the short distance much faster than the larger makes. Some of the older makes have quite a bit of wheel problems that they nurse throughout the race. So, when it comes down to the wire, the faster ones finish first, with an extremely large amount of various racers bunched up in the middle section, and a few slower ones bringing up the rear. As the few lucky winners, which was once put so well. "To the victor goes the spoils."

-Gary DeThomas



"What Lies Ahead"

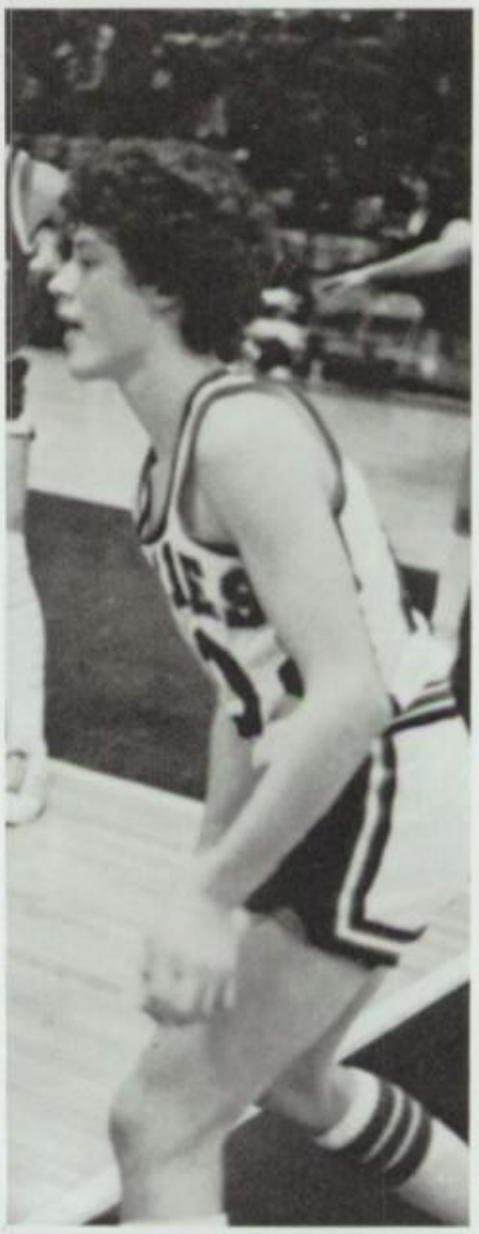
Thinking back upon the years
That I spent within these walls
Graduation day approaches
As I walk the lonely halls

I used to be so anxious
To be away from here
But then, I remember the good times
And the friends who'd become so dear

Leaving behind are many memories
Some of them good and some of them bad
I'll even miss the teachers
And the talks that we have had

Soon I'll have to face the world
That I've been hiding from so long
I'll have to stand on my own two feet
And cope with life's problems, yet be strong.

-Lee Ann Bakies



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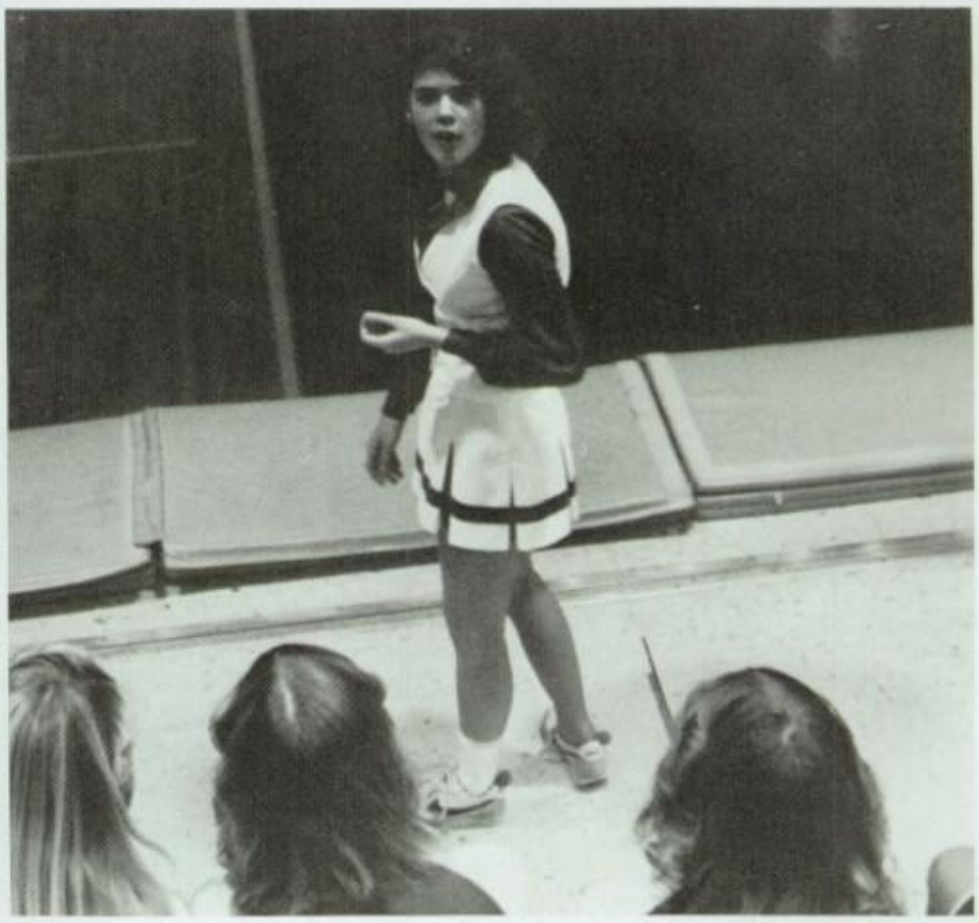

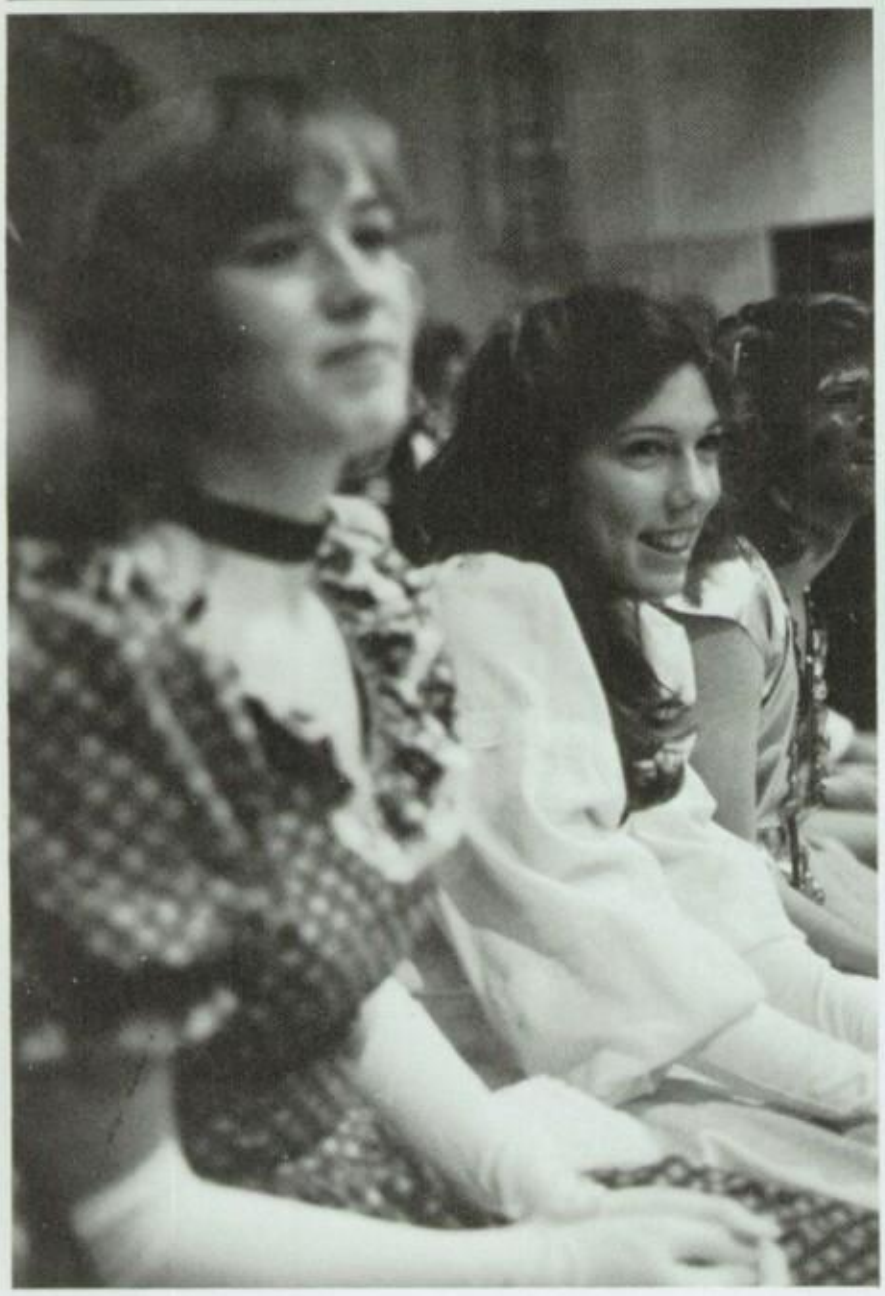

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Remember when we met each other,
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We shared our toys and happiness,
always having fun.
Second grade then came about,
learning to read and write,
The base of our third grade year,
was learning wrong from right.
Fourth grade and our field trips,
to and from the school,
In the fifth grade,
respect seemed like the "golden rule".
Sixth grade and then Jr. High,
right up to our senior year,
Remembering all our teachers,
and the times that we've spent here.
As the sun now slowly descends,
so be it our education,
This is our final step from here
for this is graduation,
We made friends, goals and wishes,
in these twelve years together,
The memories of our school days,
shall live with us forever.

-Eileen Tong